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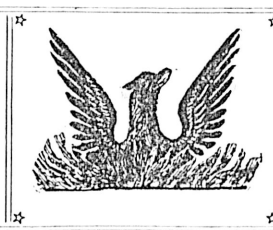

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NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE "COMPANIES' ACT 1890." AND "THE COMPANIES' AMENDMENT ACT, 1893"

—AND—

IN THE MATTER OF THE "PHŒNIX BREWERY COMPANY, LIMITED LIABILITY."

NOTICE is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Phœnix Brewery Company (Limited Liability), will be held at the offices of the Company, Head street Victoria, on Monday, the 24th day of July, 1893, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolution, that is to say:

"That the Company sell and dispose of its good will and undertaking, and the whole of its assets and property, both real and personal, except book debts, to 'The Victoria-Phœnix Brewing Company (Limited Liability).'"

Should the resolution pass, further resolutions may be proposed and passed, as may be thought necessary to carry the said resolution into effect and settle upon the consideration for said sale.

Dated this 21st day of June, 1893.

By Order of the Board.
C. N. GOWEN,
Secretary.
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—AND—

IN THE MATTER OF "THE VICTORIA BREWING AND ICE COMPANY, LIMITED LIABILITY."

NOTICE is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Victoria Brewing and Ice Company (Limited Liability), will be held at the offices of the Company, Nos. 191 to 195 Government street, Victoria, on Monday, the 24th day of July, 1893, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolution, that is to say:

"That the Company sell and dispose of its good will and undertaking, and the whole of its assets and property, both real and personal, except book debts, to 'The Victoria Phœnix Brewing Company (Limited Liability).'"

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Dated this 21st day of June, A.D. 1893.

By Order of the Board.
F. S. BARNARD,
Secretary.
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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

M. JACKSON VS. A. J. JACKSON & C. MYLIUS.

By order of Court in the above action, Tenders will be received by the undersigned up till 12 o'clock noon Monday, the 26th day of June, for the purchase of the stock, safe, showcounters, etc., etc., now in the store lately in the occupation of Jackson & Mylius. Stock list can be seen on premises.

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Dated this 21st day of June, 1893. je21

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REFORM CONVENTION.

Fierce French Fighting—Planks in the Reform Platform—Greenway's Government Assailed.

A Prohibition Plebiscite Favored—The Senate Denounced—Laurier's Leadership Approved.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 21.—It was nearly 4 o'clock this afternoon that the Liberal convention got down to real business, the morning session being devoted to speeches in French. Mr. Tarte made a fierce speech on the Manitoba school question. He blamed the Dominion Government for depriving the Roman Catholic minority of their rights. He diligently failed to say anything about the responsibility of the Greenway Government.

At the afternoon session, after speeches from Messrs. Fraser and Landerkin, M.P.'s, the Committee on resolutions reported resolutions in favor of Tariff Reform and Reciprocity with the United States: the repeal of the Dominion franchise act; reform in the disposition of the Dominion lands; in denunciation of gerrymandering, the gross corruption of the Government, the increase of public school expenses. They favored a plebiscite on the prohibition question, and condemned the reference to Royal Commissions of charges preferred against members.

At yesterday's session, Mr. Devlin, M.P., protested against Attorney-General Sifton, of Manitoba, being appointed vice-president, as he detested the principles of which the Greenway Government was the incarnation—the principle of oppression.

At the evening session, the resolutions submitted by the committee were severally adopted. A great dispute took place about the prohibition plebiscite, but the resolution was adopted by an overwhelming majority. The last resolution declared the constitution of the Senate inconsistent with Federal principles and ought to be amended in order to harmonize with the principles of popular government.

A motion declaring confidence in Mr. Laurier's leadership was submitted and carried amidst enthusiasm, after which the convention adjourned.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The Dreaded Army Worm.

QUEBEC, June 21.—The Army worm has made its appearance at Ste. Sophie, county of Megantic, and is said to be doing enormous damage to the crops.

Discharged By the Grand Jury.

BRIDGEWATER, N.S., June 21.—Mrs. Cameron, charged with the murder of her husband in February last, and who subsequently tried to commit suicide, was discharged by the grand jury this afternoon.

Eighty Houses Burned.

FREDERICKTON, N.B., June 21.—A boy playing with a toy pistol in a barn in Gibson, opposite this city, started a fire last evening that burned eighty dwellings, two churches, the Canadian Pacific station, six stores and two public halls. The fire practically burned itself out, and 125 families are homeless.

C.P.R. and Great Northern.

TORONTO, June 21.—A general despatch to the Globe says a Montreal broker has received a private dispatch stating that the Great Northern Railway has refused to accept Canadian Pacific Railway tickets as a result of a breach in the friendly relations between the two roads. This intelligence tends to confirm the sensational report in the Chicago Mail of Saturday last to the effect that a complete rupture had taken place between the two companies.

He Would Have "Green Goods."

GUELPH, June 21.—William C. Reid, a Fergus man, has been arrested on a charge of negotiating for the purchase of $7,000 worth of counterfeit money. He has been committed here for trial. Reid is about fifty years of age, is worth $30,000, and has hitherto been a prominent and respected resident of Fergus.

Died from Poison.

HAMILTON, June 21.—An inquest into the death of Mrs. Hayden, which occurred a few days ago under suspicious circumstances, resulted in a verdict of death from poison administered by some person unknown.

PANIC IN A CHURCH.

Nearly a Hundred and Fifty People Lose Their Lives.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 21.—While the ancient Church of Rono, at Borisoglebsk, on the Volga, was crowded with pilgrims from all parts of Coroslav, who had come to take part in the annual church procession, a panic was caused by a false alarm of fire, which had been raised by thieves in order to facilitate their operations. When the firemen arrived in answer to the tolling of an alarm by the sexton of the church they found the door locked. Breaking it in they witnessed a fearful sight. In the mad rush for the exits hundreds had been knocked down and trampled upon, while others had been suffocated by the pressure of the great throng of terror-stricken people. The bodies of 126 women and 10 men were taken from the church; nor was this the total number of victims, as several other persons had been killed and twenty fatally injured by leaping from windows thirty feet from the ground.

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The much-delayed wall papers have at last arrived at Weiler Bros'. Some elegant patterns at low prices.

MURDERED AT SEA.

St. Clair Found Guilty of the Murder of Mate Fitzgerald of the "Hesper."

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21.—The jury in the United States court yesterday afternoon found Thomas St. Clair guilty of the murder of Mate M. Fitzgerald, of the bark Hesper, on January 15, on the voyage from Sydney, New South Wales, to Honolulu. The crime was most brutal. St. Clair, who was a sailor, had planned with other sailors to kill the officers, including the captain, to seize the vessel and go to the Orient for the purpose of preying upon Chinese merchants The plot was well laid, and one night when Mate Fitzgerald appeared on the deck St. Clair seized an axe, literally chopped him to pieces and threw the body overboard. The atrociousness of the deed so shocked his fellow-conspirators that they refused to carry out the scheme further. The captain was warned, and St. Clair and his companions placed in irons, landed at Tahiti and brought to this port for trial, being guarded by three French soldiers during the voyage. Much speculation is indulged in as to the place where the death sentence, if imposed, would be carried out. The State law fixing the spot at the State prison does not govern the Federal courts. The United States marshal can select any county jail or other locality in his district for hanging.

SEALING REGULATIONS.

Sir Richard Webster Submits Eight Suggestions on the Part of Great Britain.

Close Season for Pelagic Sealing—Licenses to Be Obtained at Certain Places.

PARIS, June 21.—At yesterday's session of the Behring Sea tribunal Sir Richard Webster submitted a series of regulations, comprising eight clauses, which Great Britain asks the tribunal to adopt. The chief points of the proposed regulations are that vessels engaged in pelagic sealing must obtain licenses at either Victoria, Vancouver, Port Townsend or San Francisco. Licenses shall only be granted to sailing vessels. Sealing shall always be absolutely prohibited within two miles of Pribyloff islands. A close season for pelagic sealing shall be established, and it shall extend from Sept. 16th to July 1st. No rifles or shells shall be used by the pelagic hunters. All vessels engaged in pelagic sealing shall carry a distinguishing flag. All masters of such vessels shall record in their log book the time of their hunting, the places where they hunt, the number of seals caught and the sex of each animal captured. The licenses shall be liable to forfeiture in the event of a breach of any of the foregoing regulations.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Stocks in New York.

NEW YORK, June 21.—The Stock market was irregular in the early trading, and as a rule lower quotations prevailed. The reduction in the posted rates of sterling exchange, however, induced some covering of shorts, and there was a partial recovery. When it became known that Baring, Magoun & Co. had ordered $500,000 in gold for shipment from London to this country, the complexion of affairs at the Stock Exchange underwent a complete change. The improvement was stimulated by a let up in the stringency in money. As a rule the advance was well maintained at the close. Total sales 197,286 shares. The market closed firm. Closing bids: Canadian Pacific, 76⅞; Central Pacific, 26¾; Denver and Rio Grande, 14½; Wells Fargo, 145; Great Northern, preferred, 120; Missouri Pacific, 34; Northern Pacific, 14; Northern Pacific preferred, 35½; Northwest, 105½; Oregon Navigation, 70; Oregon Improvement, 18; Pacific Mail, 18½; Texas Pacific, 8; Union Pacific, 29; Western Union, 63¾.

A Cowboy Globe Trotter.

NEW YORK, June 21.—A man dressed in cowboy costume, bestrode a buckskin colored broncho in front of the city hall yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and started, he said, on a trip around the world. He was R. J. Tanner, a cowboy from Lincoln, Neb., twenty-three years of whose life have been passed mostly on horseback. The route he has laid out is from this city to Reading, Pa., through Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Marion, Ohio; Fort Wayne, Joliet, Davenport, Omaha, Lincoln, Black Hills, Yellowstone Park, Ogden, and from thence to San Francisco, by steamer to Japan, through China, India, Persia, Arabia, the Holy Land, Switzerland, Spain, France, England, Ireland, and by steamer from Queenstown to New York. Tanner expects to make the trip in two years. He takes no equipment but a revolver, a rubber coat and a kodak. He says he will write a book when he comes back.

Columbian Liberty Bell.

TROY, N. Y., June 21.—The Columbian liberty bell will be cast to-morrow afternoon. Mrs. Cleveland has consented to set the machinery in motion and the arrangements have been completed for her to press the button at Gray's Gables at four o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

Bank Troubles in San Diego.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., June 21.—Owing to steady withdrawals the Consolidated National Bank to-day suspended, as did also the Savings Bank of San Diego county. Runs were made on the other banks, which were successfully met until closing time.

Important Notice.

The old and well-known firm of Lange & Co., Watchmakers and Jewelers, have removed their place of business from Government street to No. 86 Douglas street, where they will continue to sell off their stock at cost. All repairs of watches, and other orders sent us will be attended to as usual. *

Bird cages, hammocks, ice cream freezers camp beds, camp tables, chairs, etc., at Weiler Bros'.

THE C. P. R CUT.

Reported Reductions to Compete Against the Southern Pacific Rates.

C. P. Huntington Says Relations Between the Companies Are Most Amicable.

NEW YORK, June 21. — On Friday the Canadian Pacific railway made a reduction of 10 per cent. on freight between New York and Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore and San Francisco, the Southern Pacific meeting it on the following day. The Canadian Pacific has since issued a new tariff, cutting 10 per cent. further, under the Southern Pacific. This makes all the class rates $1 except the first three classes which are respectively $1.82, $1 61 and $1.29 per hundred pounds. It is done for the alleged purpose of maintaining the differential that it claims to be entitled to. The Canadian Pacific announces this rate over nearly all the trunk lines, and it has been suggested that this is in direct violation of the trunk line association agreements, which specify that none but initial railroads shall issue tariffs. The Canadian Pacific, it is understood, carries little or no freight at these figures. The Southern Pacific is taking the bulk of the business, and it has everything its own way.

C. P. Huntington says, regarding the report that the Canadian Pacific had begun a war rate against the Southern Pacific: "Our relations with the Canadian Pacific have been pleasant and we expect them to continue so. I have no information that it has cut under our rates to San Francisco, and it would not pay it to compete for that business. Its line ends way up the coast at Vancouver, and it would have to trans-ship from there to San Francisco. I guess you will find there is no trouble. Our folks certainly know of none."

SENATOR STANFORD DEAD.

The Well-Known Californian Passes Away Suddenly—A Victim to Apoplexy.

MENLO PARK, Cal., June 21.—Senator Leland Stanford died about midnight last night. He passed away peacefully in his sleep at his residence at Palo Alto. It has been evident for some time that his demise was a question of but a short time. His symptoms were apoplectic and his weight was increasing alarmingly. About six weeks ago it was found necessary to impose a severely plain diet upon the senator. Since that time his sole food has consisted of fried hashed meats, with hot water as the only liquid accompaniment. It seemed for a time that its results were most beneficial, but his strength was not sufficiently great to respond to the demands upon it and he passed quietly away to-night. Gov. Stanford was in the best of spirits. On Tuesday he took a drive around his stock farm and seemed as well as ever. He retired shortly after 10 o'clock, but about midnight his valet, going into the governor's bedroom, discovered that he was dead.

Latest particulars of the death of Senator Stanford are that last night on retiring he felt better than usual. About midnight his valet, on entering the room, heard a gasp, and seeing there was something wrong gave the alarm, first to Mrs. Stanford and then to Private Secretary Nash. When Mrs. Stanford had reached the room her husband had breathed his last. The remains have been embalmed and will to-night be placed in one of the spacious parlors of the mansion, where they will remain until Saturday, when the funeral will take place. The body will be finally laid at rest in the vault near the university in which the remains of his son, Leland Stanford, jr, now repose. Mr. Stanford's paramount ambition was to live long enough to perpetuate the University, and it is certain that the bulk of his property has been devoted to that project. His estate will run anywhere from $40,000,000 to $60,000,000. A few days ago, in talking with Mrs. Stanford, the Senator requested that, when his pall-bearers were selected, a number of engineers should be chosen from among the men who have been longest in the employ of the Southern Pacific Co. It has been decided to have twenty pall-bearers, eight of whom will be engineers.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—Senator and Mrs. Stanford's life in this city was naturally a very prominent one. They came here eight years ago when the shadow of their great grief over the loss of their only child, Leland Stanford, jr., whose death occurred two years previously at Florence, Italy, was still over them. After Mrs. Stanford had laid aside mourning, they entertained every winter in the most sumptuous way. Their dinners were always notable events, and perhaps no banquet in this city has ever exceeded in elegance the dinner given in honor of President and Mrs. Harrison. The ladies were much attached, while nothing was spared in these special occasions to do honor to the distinguished guests. The preparations made for Mrs. Stanford's afternoon receptions each winter were no less marked. The humblest visitor was made as welcome as the most favored, and the resources of the entire establishment were at the pleasure of the great throngs of people who always came. Senator Stanford always made it a rule to get home from the Senate early on these days, and took the same interest in having crowds of strangers enjoying what he had to offer as if he had a personal acquaintance with each. Last winter Senator and Mrs. Stanford being in mourning did not entertain.

DUKE OF YORK'S WEDDING.

Arrangements Being Made for the Event to Come Off in Two Weeks

LONDON, June 21.—Queen Victoria is en route from Balmoral to Windsor for the purpose of superintending the preparations for the marriage two weeks hence, of the Princess Victoria May of Teck and the Duke of York. Lord Carrington, official of the lord chamberlain's department, is engaged in outlining the arrangements for the event; he will have an audience with the Queen on Thursday, at which she will express her views concerning the preparations. The apartments in St. James' palace, in which the couple will live, are being entirely refurnished, and no expense is being spared to give them a luxurious appearance.

UNITED WORKMEN.

The Maximum Life Rate Fixed at Forty-Five Years.

TORONTO, June 21. — (Special) —The Ancient Order of United Workmen, in convention here, resumed business this morning at 9:30 o'clock. Supreme Master Workman Burl presided. The first business was the fixing of the maximum life rate, which was placed at forty-five years. A petition is being circulated to exclude from the order all who are engaged in the liquor business. During the afternoon the delegates were treated to a carriage ride around the city as guests of the Mayor. To-morrow morning they will be given a trip to Niagara Falls.

THE ARMENIAN TRIALS.

British Demand Made Upon the Turkish Government for Full Particulars.

LONDON, June 21.—The Secretary of the British Embassy at Constantinople has presented to the Porte a formal request for a detailed report of the proceedings and the evidence given at the trial at Angora of the Armenians charged with seditious rioting, which resulted in the sentencing to death of seventeen of the accused persons.

THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Chicago's Gala Day—Misunderstandings With the Imperial Commission—Californian Children.

Canada's Magnificent Exhibit of Cheese—Important Congresses Holding Their Sessions.

CHICAGO, June 21.—In pursuance of resolutions introduced in the City Council about six weeks ago, Chicago will have a gala day at the World's fair. The event will be known as "Liberty Bell day," and the time fixed for the celebration is July 4. In a general way the arrangements for the celebration are nearly completed. They include a military parade, the votive offerings of the city school children, speeches by leading orators, music and so on. From present indications "Liberty Bell day" will exceed in interest any observance thus far held in the city. Arrangements are now in progress by which the public bells in all the principal cities in the United States will ring at 12 o'clock, Chicago time. The key note will be 100 pitch in Chicago and the music will be taken up the country over.

Trouble is said to be brewing in the World's Fair Imperial Commission from Great Britain, and this has something to do with the departure for home of Sir Augustus Harris and John Dredge, the two commissioners. According to official report cordial relations have not existed between the commissioners and Sir Henry Truman Wood, secretary of the Royal Commission, for some time. Sir Henry Wood is in high favor at home, and when the British commissioners threatened to ignore the system of judging adopted by the World's Fair authorities, the secretary sent a telegram to London that brought a reply displeasing to Harris and Dredge. It is said that the object of their visit abroad is to set themselves properly before the Imperial Council, but it is seriously questioned whether they will return here in their official capacity.

The second day's session of the Railway Commerce Congress was opened in the Art Palace to-day with the reading of a paper by Interstate Commerce Commissioner W. G. Veazey upon the protection of public rights and interests in connection with railway operation. This subject was discussed by several of those present and as a set-off Vice-President Ripley, of the Milwaukee and St Paul road, spoke upon the protection of private rights and interests as concerns the management and operation of railroads. Something upon the effects of competition upon railway construction and operation was told the congress by Hon. Aldace S. Walker, chairman of the joint committee, and Kirkland H. Wade, general manager of the California Southern railway, delivered an interesting address regarding what railroads should do for the protection and improvement of their employees. William E. Curtis, of the Pan-American congress, general manager of the Mexican International Railway, and others spoke upon international and interstate railway relations, and Joseph Nimmo, the eminent statistician, read an interesting paper upon the evolution of the American railway system. Addresses were also delivered by representatives of railways in England and other countries.

The World's Congress on Commerce and Finance was better attended to-day, notwithstanding the weather. R. F. Buller, of Idaho, brought into his report the silver question, but the warmth of the Assembly hall prevented any discussion. He declared warmly in favor of free silver, and said that the recent panic was caused by the gold basis, which, he insisted, precipitated financial crisis. Mr. Buller advocated that both gold and paper money of less denomination than $5 be withdrawn. This, he said, would force the circulation of silver and would virtually mean free coinage.

Canada outstripped its competitors in the June exhibit of cheese. There were 667 exhibits, mostly of factory cheese. Of these 135 scored high enough to win medals or diplomas, 126 of them being of Canadian manufacture. Thirty-one Canadian lots scored higher than any from the United States, ranging in excellence from 98 per cent. down.

A party of 21 children, sent here from California as a reward for fine scholarship in the public schools, were given a reception in the children's building by the board of lady managers. They arrived early on the ground and went directly to the Golden Gate building, where they were met by the ladies in charge and shown over the building. They were entertained at lunch, after which they went sight seeing in the midway plaisance.

Cholera Decreasing in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 21.—Cholera is decreasing rapidly throughout Russia. In Bessarabia, Podolia, Kursk and Oree only an occasional death and a few fresh cases are now reported.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Vancouver's Street Paving—Packing of Spring Salmon Begun on the Fraser.

Fisherman Stabs a Companion—Dangerous Sunken Rocks Discovered by the "Quadra."

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, June 21.—Mr. Mahon has received returns from the Tacoma smelting works for fifteen tons of ore from the Vancouver Four-Mile creek claim in Slocan district. The returns were 233 ounces of silver to the ton, 46 per cent. lead; value per ton, $227.53.

S. J. Todd, formerly U.S. Customs officer here, now of Port Townsend, is renewing acquaintances in Vancouver.

Wilson McKinnon left yesterday for a three-months trip in Nova Scotia.

The Celebration committee has made an appropriation of $100 towards the firemen's sports. The firemen will endeavor to increase it by trying their luck with the merchants. If they succeed, four or five brigades will be here to compete.

Steamer Mermaid left for the north yesterday and steamer Coquitlam this morning.

SS. Haytian Republic arrived last evening with 792 tons of freight, including 24,000 sacks of flour.

The bituminous rock pavement being laid upon Cordova and Hastings streets improves by wear. All the holes and depressions were partially filled up on the first warm day, and a day's repair, it is claimed, will put the work in order for a year to come. The COLONIST representative had an interesting conversation with Mr. Armstrong, Contractor McGillivray's manager, on the bituminous rock used for paving purposes in Vancouver. It is not a preparation, as many think, but mined from the earth in the same composite condition as when it is laid upon its cement bed on the streets of Vancouver, coming in duty free on that account. The following is the chemical analysis of what is nothing more nor less than petroleum sodden earth and vegetable matter, but what is claimed to be the finest paving material in the world: Sand, 65.917; bitumen, 16.255; iron and aluminum, 8.405; calcium carbonate, 8.212; magnesia carbonate, 1.003; undetermined, .203. The bituminous rock mine is situated at San Louis Obispo, ninety miles down the coast from San Francisco, from which the material is taken.

A visit to the cooking sheds at the corner of Hastings and Carroll streets was made. Hundreds of bags of bitumen, of the consistency and stickiness of gingerbread were piled in the yard. This was being lifted by an elevator to the top of an immense iron heater with steam pockets, the steam being kept at a pressure of 60 degrees. When the bitumen had been heated for 30 minutes the door was opened below and in three seconds the large vat of boiled bitumen was full, spluttering, fuming and throwing off clouds of strong smelling smoke that entirely obstructed the vision. Hot shovels were seized by the workmen and while the bitumen was changing from a liquid to a mushy substance in the cool air it was dumped into carts, to be hauled away to be laid on the concrete and rolled level and hard with ponderous hot rollers. Some of the cities where bitumenous rock is in use and giving satisfaction are Chicago, Ill., Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Santa Barbara, Fresno, California, Washington, D.C., Portland and Tacoma.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 21.—Yesterday, D. McGillivray & Co. closed a contract with the owners of the Horse Fly mine in Cariboo to supply them with 500 tons of thirty-inch steel pipes for hydraulic purposes. This will keep the works running at their fullest capacity for seven months. Immediately after the contract had been signed, McGillivray & Co. cabled to Glasgow an order for the immediate shipment of the necessary steel, which will be carried by steamer to Montreal and from there to this city by the C. P. R. Forty cars will be required to bring the steel across the continent. The first consignment is expected to arrive in two months, when the works will be immediately started. The pipes will be shipped to Ashcroft and carried from there by wagon 150 miles to their destination. It is reported that a number of large capitalists have secured the Horse Fly mine and will employ a very considerable force of men in connection with its operations.

Two fishermen, named Garripe and Plante, quarrelled at the Richmond cannery, last night, while intoxicated. Plante drew a knife and seriously stabbed Garripe in the breast, arms and shoulder. Plante was arrested to-day in Vancouver.

The first salmon canning of this season began yesterday, when Ewen's cannery was got into operation to pack Spring salmon. Mr. Ewen makes a small pack of Spring salmon every year.

A fresh case of diphtheria was reported to the health authorities last night, the patient being Mrs. Day, residing on Tenth street. The house has been quarantined. As it is quite possible some of the public library books have been in the houses where there have been cases of diphtheria, the commissioners have decided to call all the books in and issue no more until they have been thoroughly disinfected.

McLean Bros., contractors for the Delta dyke, are making excellent progress with their work, a large section of which is finished. A move is on foot to dyke that portion of the municipality fronting on the Fraser River above Ladner's Landing.

A man named Wellington had his left leg broken, this afternoon, at the Caledonia hotel, while wrestling with a friend. Dr. Boggs set the injured limb and Wellington was removed to the Royal Columbian hospital.

Information was laid, this morning, on behalf of Mary Elizabeth Branchflower, charging William S. Branchflower, of Chilliwhack, with neglecting to provide food, clothing, lodging and support for his wife, without lawful excuse. A summons was issued to be served on Branchflower, who is ordered to appear at the District Court in this city on Monday next for the hearing of the charges against him.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, June 21.—Two gold watches and a sum of money were stolen yesterday from Rogers's boarding house at Northfield. There is no clue to the thief.

Caroline Maude Edwards, who passed at the head of the High school, receives the Governor-General's bronze medal.

The South Ward and Girls' school closed to-day. The Boys' school closes to-morrow, the High and District schools on Friday.

Steamer Quadra is here. She brought the fog alarm for Entrance Island. It will be erected there to-morrow. Yesterday, the Quadra lay at anchor off Portier Pass, where search was made for the rock on which the Romulus struck. Two dangers were located, one an extensive reef south of Canoe Rock, the other an isolated rock south of Virago Rock. The whole south side of the Eastern entrance to the Pass is beset with a dangerous reef, extending about a quarter of a mile from shore.

NELSON.

(From the Nelson Tribune.)

Captain Gore, of the steamer Columbia, is confined to the house at Nelson with a severe attack of erysipelas in the face. Captain Short was transferred from the Nelson to the Columbia.

McPhee & Whiteside, of Kaslo, were the lowest bidders for the court house at Nelson, and have been notified to that effect.

In a week's time the trail built by the Duncan City townsite owners will be completed through to the mouth of Healey creek, a distance of eighteen miles. The first twelve miles out from Duncan is so level that a horse can be galloped over it.

James Wilson, superintendent of the Canadian Pacific's telegraph lines on the Coast, is in Nelson looking over the route for the proposed extension of his company's lines. The new line will start at Revelstoke and run south to Nakusp, thence to Nelson by way of New Denver, Kaslo, Ainsworth, and Balfour. The line will be about 190 miles in length, and will take about four months to build. The material is now ordered and work will be commenced in three weeks. When in operation, the rate from Nelson or Kaslo to the coast will be 75 cents for a ten-word message. The local rate between points on Kootenay lake will be 25 cents.

(From the Miner.)

Information was received in town during the week that a new and rich strike had been made up on Grizzly Creek. The owners are keeping very mum and refuse to disclose the result of the assay, but it has leaked out at Kaslo that the result was over 200 ounces.

Next week will probably see some development work on the Toad Mountain mineral properties. The respective owners of the Dandy and Goldendale will set the fashion.

A recent experimental clean-up of 160 cubic yards of dirt on the Kootenay Hydraulic Company's property produced $60.

McLaughlin & Hillyer have been awarded the contract to build one wing of the Nelson hospital and have already commenced work.

VICTORIA MARKETS.

Business Receives a Fresh Impetus—Decrease In the Prices of Fresh Meats.

Business with retail dealers has been brisker this week than for many months past. The market is well stocked, but not glutted. Butchers are now importing their fatted cattle from the interior, instead of outside, as heretofore. This change, however, is not uncommon; for during the summer it is customary for butchers to buy home fed cattle. In the winter, however, the rule is reversed, the stall fed cattle imported from the other provinces being preferable. The prices of beef, mutton and pork have decreased from two to three cents per pound, as will be seen by the appended quotations. It is expected that within the next few months a few small shipments of Australian frozen mutton will be placed on the market, as an experiment. Speaking about the matter yesterday one of the leading local butchers said he did not think the Australian mutton, although costing just the same on account of the duty, would prove as good as the home product, losing considerable of its flavor in thawing out.

Hay is coming in plentifully, and there is a good showing of fruits and fish in the market.

The standing retail quotations are as follows:

FLOUR—Portland roller per brl	$ 5.75
Salem	5.75
Ogilvie's (Hungarian)	6.00
Lake of the Woods (Hungarian)	6.00
Premier	6.00
Three Star	5.75
Victoria	5.75
Lion	5.75
Royal	6.00
Wheat, per ton	30.00@40.00
Oats, per ton	32.00@35.00
Barley, per ton	32.00@35.00
Middlings, per ton	35.00@40.00
Bran, per ton	27.00@30.00
Ground Feed, per ton	30.00@35.00
Corn, whole	45.00
" cracked	50.00
Cornmeal, per 100 lbs	3.00@3.25
Oatmeal, per 10 lbs	50
Rolled Oats, per lb	6
Potatoes, per lb	2
" new, California, per lb	2½
Cabbage, per lb	3 @3½
Cauliflowers, per doz	1.50
Asparagus	12½
Green Peas, per lb	8@10
Hay, baled, per ton	18@20 00
Straw, per bale	1.00
Onions, per lb	04
" Silver, per lb	0.4
Eggs, Island, per dozen	25
" Packed, per dozen	15@18
Butter, Island roll, (2 lbs)	50 @ 65
" Creamery, per 3 lbs	1.00
Cheese, Canadian per lb., retail	20
Hams, American "	25
" Canadian "	20
Bacon, American, per lb	25
" Rolled "	18
" Long clear "	17
Shoulders, per lb	14
Lard "	18@25
Golden Cottolene, per lb	20
Meats—Beef "	8@15
Sides "	9@11
Mutton, per lb	10@15
Pork, fresh "	12@15
Chickens, per pair	1.75@2.00
Turkey per lb	30
Geese per lb	25
Fish—Salmon (Spring), per lb	10@12
" (Smoked), "	12@15
Halibut	10@12
Cod, per lb	8@10
" (Nfld.), per lb	12½
Small fish	5@8
Smelts, per lb	10@12
Sturgeon	7@8
Herring (Labrador), per doz	50
" (smoked) "	50
Fruits—Apples per lb	7@10
Oranges (Navel), per doz	50@75
" (Riverside) "	25@30
Lemons, California, per doz	35@40
Sicily, per doz	40@50
Bananas, per doz	40@50
Rhubarb, per lb	5
Cherries, per lb	15@25
Strawberries, per lb	25
Apricots, per lb	20@25

On the Warpath.

OMAHA, June 21.—White Swan, a granddaughter of Sitting Bull, accuses her lover, Harry Gordon, of running away with two trotting horses, a wagon, $400 and some valuable land titles belonging to her. She followed him to this city and applied to the police for assistance in recovering her property. It is thought Gordon has crossed the river to Iowa. White Swan said that she and Gordon had been travelling together for several years. He drove her horses in races throughout the Western circuit, and won considerable money. When she was down in Oklahoma looking after some land, Gordon, whom she had left in Lincoln, Neb., disappeared with her outfit. The woman says she is worth $100,000. She declares that if it is necessary she will spend the rest of her life looking for her recreant lover, and when she finds him she will kill him. White Swan is known in Nebraska as Marguerite Mellicon. She is about 40 years old and is not handsome.

ABOUT TELEPHONE POLES.

The Objections of Hon. Amor De Cosmos Urged by Evidence and Argument.

Reasons Given Why the Poles Are Alleged to Be Nuisances and Dangerous.

After a delay of nearly three quarters of an hour yesterday afternoon waiting for a quorum, the City Council held a meeting to hear objections to the location of certain poles proposed to be erected in front of property on Government street, owned by Hon. Amor De Cosmos. There were present the Mayor in the chair, Ald. Belyea, McKillican, Henderson, Munn, Bragg and Miller. Hon. A. N. Richards and Mr. H. D. Helmcken appeared for Mr. De Cosmos, with Mr. E. V. Bodwell representing the Victoria & Esquimalt Telephone Company. There was some preliminary cross-firing between counsel as to who should commence. Mr. Richards drew attention to the formal application made by the telephone company for the right to place their poles in the position indicated on an accompanying map, and he argued that this application should be supported. The Council, however, on motion of Ald. Belyea, decided that Mr. De Cosmos should be heard first. Mayor Beaven administered the oath to those examined.

Ernest E. Billinghurst, clerk in Drake, Jackson & Helmcken's office, was first called. He had observed the number of telephone wires going into houses along Government street, north of Johnson street, and was of opinion that there were fifteen telephones in use in that district.

Cross-Examined by Mr. Bodwell—I only counted the poles from Johnson street north on Government street as far as Hon. Theodore Davie's.

Hon. Amor De Cosmos, sworn, said he was owner of lots 533 and 534 on the west side of Government street. He put up some buildings in 1885 and this year had plans prepared for a hotel, but had not accepted these plans owing to this question and others arising. (witness produced plans showing front view on Government street.) If such high poles were erected the pressure on the retaining wall of the basement would be so great that it would be unsafe in a high wind, and if the company were to have those poles there, witness would not put up the building. If one of these gigantic poles were to fall on the building it would do very serious injury. The poles proposed were unnecessarily large to carry the small number of wires needed by the company for their present business, and besides this, witness had been given to understand that it is the intention of the company to use these poles for other purposes, for electric lighting, for instance. Douglas street would be a better street for the poles than Government street.

Mayor Beaven—Where would you prefer to have those poles put?

Mr. De Cosmos—I would prefer to have them taken away from end to end of Government street and burned. He continued that this was the first attempt made to put any number of wires along his property. They would interfere with access to the stores from the start, and be a general nuisance.

Hon. Mr. Richards then began asking questions to find out where the stockholders of the company lived, etc., but Ald. Belyea took objection to this travelling all over the ground. Mayor Beaven also objected and wanted the evidence confined to the point. Then Mr. E. Crow Baker jumped up and, for the information of Mr. Richards, stated there were no stockholders in Montreal.

Hon. Mr. Richards—Will you go into the witness box and swear to that?

Mr. Baker—Yes.

Mr. Bodwell—Sit down, Mr. Baker, I am running this case. (Laughter.)

Mr. De Cosmos claimed that the wires were "deadly."

Mr. Baker—Eliminate the "ly" and you will be correct. (Laughter.)

After some more sparring, Mr. R. B. McMicking was called at the request of the Mayor to ascertain whether the proposed poles were the right distance apart. He stated that the poles could be put as far apart as 120 feet, those in front of the De Cosmos property being 101 feet. The reason the poles were so high was that there were a large number of wires which had to be kept clear of heavier live wires, such as tramway wires and electric lighting. Poles in Seattle were even higher than in Victoria, but in Vancouver were not so high. It might be taken for granted that if the poles were not necessary the telephone company would not be going to the great expense of putting them up. It must be remembered that the lowest wires on the poles would be twenty feet below the top, which would put them only about ten feet above the tramway company's electric lighting wires, which were on the top of fifty foot poles.

In reply to Ald. Belyea, witness said there were poles in other places in Victoria in front of basement walls and no difficulty had been experienced so far.

The Mayor—Do you think there is any other place there where poles could be put without inconvenience?

Witness—I don't know of any other place, but if it could be pointed out we would place them elsewhere.

Hon. Mr. Richards then took the witness in hand, and cross-examined him at considerable length as to whether the company could not have put their poles on Douglas street more conveniently?

Mayor Beaven objected to this general questioning on the ground that only the question of the two poles was referred to the Council.

Hon. Mr. Richards wanted to know if the central telephone office could not be moved out on Douglas street?

Mr. McMicking—Yes; I guess we could do almost anything if we tried. (Laughter.)

Mr. Richards—Then it would not incommode Government street so much?

Mr. Bodwell—There's no proof that Government street is recommended!

Mr. Richards—Keep quiet my dear young friend. You're not in the witness box. (Laughter.)

Mr. Bodwell—I wish I were for just about five minutes. (Renewed Laughter.)

After some more evidence Ald. Belyea suggested that it was getting near 6 o'clock, and was time for the speaker to leave the chair. (Laughter.)

The Mayor wanted to get through this business if possible, but would like to hear something about the two poles in question—some suggestion as to how they could be dispensed with.

At six o'clock the Council adjourned for want of a quorum.

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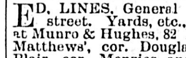

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NOTICE.
The partnership heretofore existing between John Coigdarripe and Luke Pither, carrying on business on Yates street, in the city of Victoria, under the firm name of Boucherat & Co., Wine and Spirit Merchants, was dissolved on the 1st day of April last, by mutual consent, Max Leiser having purchased the interest of John Coigdarripe, in the said firm.
The business of the firm will be continued by Messrs. Luke Pither and Max Leiser, upon the same premises, under the firm name of Pither & Leiser, successors to Boucherat & Co., and they have assumed all the liabilities of the old firm.
Dated this 14th day of June, 1893.
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SMUGGLED CHINESE.

Unsavory Shipment of Chinese Found in a Seattle Box Car.

Str. "Ina," of Vancouver, Suspected—The "Maude" Returns from West Coast.

Another big smuggling transaction has recently come to light through a somewhat alarming yet amusing incident developing in Seattle on Monday last. Late in the afternoon of that day an N.P.R. employe, who was working in the freight yards had his suspicions aroused by a car which proved to contain Chinamen but which was locked on the inside. He began to investigate and with the aid of a crowbar succeeded in opening the door. A look at the Chinamen and a sniff of the bad air which poured out was sufficient for the employe who again locked the door and sought assistance. This done, the door was again opened, and the celestials were conveyed in wagons to the police staiion. One white man named C. Dilloway, and who is known here, was found in the car with the Chinaman. His reason for being among the Mongolians he refuses to state, but it is generally supposed the idea was to keep the passengers quiet. In the car were found the Chinamen's luggage and provisions, the latter including a half barrel of water. Just how the Chinamen were smuggled into Seattle is a matter of importance to the customs officers there, but the facts are well known to certain individuals in Victoria. The little steamer Ina, of Vancouver, is said by those pretending to know to be the boat which made the venturesome trip. She dropped anchor off Beacon Hill at midnight on the 14th inst., and there successfully loaded her cargo of 32 Chinese. Anchor was weighed about 2 o'clock on Thursday morning, and the little craft started for the Sound, stopping at Discovery Island on the way across at daylight, and remaining there until the following night. The smuggling scheme is said to have been conducted by Hop Hoi, who is proprietor of a Chinese tailor shop, and Sam Kee, who keeps a Chinese pawn shop here.

The Ina is a small five ton boat, partially closed in with house work, and not thought to be a very speedy vessel. She cleared coastwise at this port on the 10th inst., her mission being at that time, it was understood, to make a cruise along the Coast to search for timber to be used in the construction of a new boat for her owner at Vancouver. Yesterday she cleared for Saanich in command of Captain Doherty.

BACK FROM THE WEST COAST.

The steamer Maude has returned from the West Coast after a quick passage. She brought back fifteen passengers and a small freight, including some sealskins from Indians and ten casks of oil from Uculet. The barkentine Kensington, which was mentioned in yesterday's COLONIST as having gone astray, was spoken by the Maude in Barclay Sound, she having drifted in during a heavy fog while on her way from San Francisco to Port Townsend in ballast. She was lying in a somewhat dangerous position, but has since been towed to her destination by the Lorne.

MARINE NOTES.

A Port Townsend special of yesterday says: The British ship Old Kensington, which arrived from San Francisco this evening bound for Port Gamble to load lumber for Delagoa Bay, Africa, narrowly escaped being wrecked in Barclay Sound. During a thick fog one week ago she drifted in the Sound amid rocks and breakers, where she remained seven days, tacking from one point to another. The captain finally sent word by Indians to Victoria for a tug, and the tug Lorne was dispatched to her assistance. After great difficulty she managed to get the ship out to deep water. The escape of the vessel seemed miraculous considering her immense size and the dangerous locality where so many vessels have been lost.

The steamship City of Puebla was almost three hours late in arriving from San Francisco yesterday, the delay having been occasioned by strong head winds. Her freight consignment for Victoria this trip amounted to 142 tons.

Much anxiety is felt for the American ship Edward O'Brien, Captain Taylor, which sailed from Vancouver December 10, with lumber for Liverpool. She has been out 192 days and has never been heard from.

The new Hawaiian four-masted iron schooner Americana has been chartered to load coal at Nanaimo for Honolulu.

The U.S.S. Gedney is making Port San Juan her headquarters for the present.

ENTERED.

Str. Islander ....from Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Maude .... " West Coast.
" Daisy................ " Genoa.
" Burt................. " Roche Harbor.

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Str. Islander.............. for Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Maude .... " Nanaimo.
" Daisy .... " Genoa.
" Ina.................. " Saanich.
Sloop Alice .... " N. Westminster.

THE LARDEAU MINES.

Shortest Route to Trout Lake—The "Silver Cup" Bonded—Paying Placer Diggings On Lardeau Creek.

Thomas Hamilton, formerly of Bridge Creek, has just returned from a trip to Trout Lake City and the Lardeau mines. He states that it has been impossible for prospecting and developing to be carried on up to date, several feet of snow yet remaining on some of the mines. What are now famous as the Lardeau mines are all situated on either shore of Trout Lake. The Great Northern group is but a few miles from Trout Lake City, at the northern end and on the east side. The Hastings group is at the southern end of the lake on the same side. The "Silver Cup" is on the western shore, about the centre. For this mine $37,000 has been offered and will be accepted if terms of payment are made to suit.

Many prospectors have been misled into making the trip from Kootenay Lake to Trout Lake, which by canoe and pack occupied about four days. Mr. Hamilton says they were angry indeed when they learned they could have gone in by way of Lardeau City and reached the mines in almost as many hours as it had occupied days by the way they had taken. They had carried canoes from the head of canoeing on Lardeau river to Trout Lake, a distance of about twenty miles. Trout Lake itself is eighteen miles in length. At Trout Lake City there are many canoes, and the prospector can get to any of the known mines in a few hours.

Gold has been discovered in the gravel on Lardeau creek, a small stream flowing through Trout Lake City into the lake. A number of men, now working on it, are taking out wages, although the water is high. When low water comes big returns are expected, for nuggets the size of small beans have been washed out. The fact of this gold being in the gravel is taken as a good indication that the quartz ledges carry it in considerable quantity.

Mr. Hamilton states that a number of prospectors who went into the Lardeau have returned again to the outside to work, finding the snow too deep, and he fears the late season will seriously retard prospecting and development. In another fortnight it is hoped that the snow will have disappeared.

In Mr. Hamilton's opinion, a wagon road from Lardeau City to Trout Lake would greatly aid in the development of the mines. This would also bring all the trade of that rich section towards the C.P.R. and enable the coast towns to supply it. An easy grade over a natural roadbed exists nearly all the way, and being built by this route would make the distance between Lardeau City and Trout Lake City about twelve miles. This road would permit of passengers and freight being forwarded to Trout Lake City cheaply and quickly. The people interested are anxious that the road should be undertaken at once, and the owners of the two townsites have offered to contribute towards its construction. The present trail is a very circuitous one, built altogether too far up the mountain side.

CONGREGATIONAL RECEPTION.

Christ Church Cathedral Welcomes Bishop Perrin to Bishop's Close.

The Bishop of Columbia having taken up his residence at Bishop's-close yesterday, the occasion was pleasantly marked by a reception given to him in Christ Church cathedral school last evening by the congregation. Lighted by Chinese lanterns, and decorated with evergreens, bunting and flowers, the room presented a very pretty appearance, while a well-trained orchestra helped to make the time pass enjoyably. Many members of the congregation were present to pay their respects to the Bishop, to whom, in the early part of the evening, the following address was presented:

To the Right Rev. W. Wilcox Perrin, Lord Bishop of Columbia.

We the clergy, churchwardens, church committee and parishioners of Christ Church cathedral heartily welcome your Lordship upon entering into residence t Bishops-close.

Your connection with this parish as Dean of the cathedral gives you a special claim upon our affections and allegiance, and these we cordially tender you, trusting that the connection may be long continued to the glory of God and the happiness of each one of us.

Signed A. BEANLANDS, Rec or
THOS. H. HEWETSON
THOS. R. SMITH } churchwardens
J. R. GORDON, }
JOHN WOOD
E. HISCOCKS } church committee
S. ASPLAND

Bishop Perrin made a felicitious reply, expressing the pleasure he felt at the cordial sentiments expressed by the congregation, and trusting that before long they would see the present building superseded by the new one, the plans of which he had been looking over.

The choir boys, through Master Darrell Kent, presented the Bishop with a large photograph of themselves, and were thanked in a pleasant little speech by the recipient. Refreshments were afterwards served and the remainder of the evening was spent in listening to the music and in conversation.

ATTEMPTED LYNCHING.

An Endeavor to Hang a Negro Criminal Causes Considerable Disturbance.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 21.—A mob has run riot in the streets of Columbia since noon. The trouble was with a negro, and then the crowd wanted Cashier Childress, who caused the failure of the Columbia bank some weeks ago. Dr. J. R. Thompson, a colored dentist, was arrested this morning. He had entered the home of W. H. Watson, with the evident intention of criminally assaulting his daughter, Mrs. Laura Scribner, aged 25. Thompson first entered Mrs. Scribner's room last Friday night, but was frightened away by her screams. The father and son laid in wait for the negro on Saturday night, exchanging rooms with Mrs. Scribner. He failed to appear, however. Yesterday morning, at about 1:30, the son was awakened by some one in the room, and recognized Thompson. The man seeing that he was discovered, tried to escape. The father seized him, and both tumbled out of the window together, Thompson dropping a bottle of chloroform. The negro was clad in his night clothes only. He was arrested and lodged in jail. All the afternoon angry crowds thronged the streets. Sheriff Ramsdale put twenty deputies, armed with Winchester rifles, inside of the jail and telegraphed to Nashville for a detachment of militia. Threats against Cashier Childress were freely made. He was out on bond, however, and not to be seen. At 11 o'clock last night the crowd about the jail had increased and a fight seemed imminent. No militia have been sent because the Governor and Adjutant General are out of the city, and cannot be found by telegraph.

THE VIRGINIA FIRE.

A Train Load of Burned Out People Pass Through a Lane of Fire to Safety.

DULUTH, Minn., June 21.—The first train bearing refugees from the Range, carrying 250 people, mostly women and children, arrived in Duluth at 1:30 a.m. Tuesday and the wearied, hungry passengers hurried from the coaches to the baggage rooms, where lunches were spread. Of all the crowd, the greater portion were penniless, dependent absolutely upon what charity might be offered. But few had saved anything beyond the most meagre effects, and for the whole train load there was not a single trunk.

A graphic description of the fire at Virginia was given by James McCarthy, an actor, who had been playing at the Star theatre. He said that at about 2 o'clock the wind, which had been raging all the morning, blew a perfect gale, and houses on the edge of the town began to burn. The people were mad. They attempted at first to save everything, and began moving furniture. Then they tried to save lighter articles, but as the fire grew fiercer, they were glad to save anything and escape with their lives. The town burned like tinder. The light frame buildings were like so much paper. The whole town was in ruins in less than an hour. The terrified people gathered about the Escanaba depot, where the officers of the road were doing everything for their safety. A train of ore cars was backed into the depot loaded with passengers. All the way they came through a lane of fire.

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The Cattle are well bred; a much larger herd could be farmed with the place. The bunch grass on the hills in the vicinity covers many thousands of acres, and is available to the few land owners in the valleys. All buildings and fences about the farm are in good order, and farming operations can be gone on with at once; about 180 acres of ploughing have been, so far, provided for this year's work.

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The South West Kootenay District, British Columbia, judging from the actual ore products of the mines this winter, is destined in the next year or two to become one of the richest and most important mineral centres in the world. Statistics show, that although the district is in its primary stage, the mines have developed ore veins rich enough to warrant the investment of over a million dollars. When these mines come to be worked systematically, there will be an

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H. M. YATES,
de23-tf Secretary.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

INCORPORATED 1890.

The Third Annual Meeting of the donorsand subscribers to the Institution will be held at the City Hall, on Friday, the 30th day of June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

BUSINESS -- Receiving the Annual Report of the President and Directors, and the Treasurer's Statement for the year ending 1st June; likewise the election of six Directors.

In accordance with the Act of Incorporation, the six remaining First Directors, representing the subscribers and donors, retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election. H. M. YATES, Secretary.

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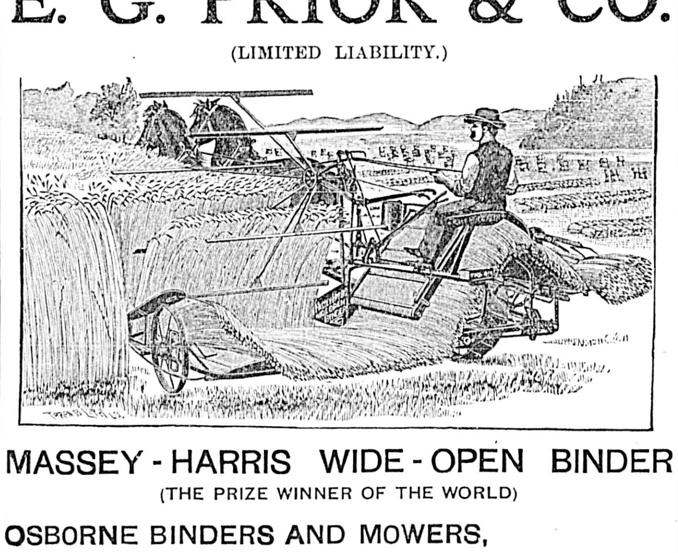

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PURSUANT TO THE "EXECUTION ACT, 1874"

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

James Holroyd, - - Plaintiff;
Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), Defendant.

IN OBEDIENCE to a writ of *fieri facias*, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 20th day of May, 1893 and to me directed, of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $3,767.25, and $3 50 for cos s of execution, etc., and also interest on $3,661.50 at six per centum per annum from the 5th day of May, 1893, until payment; also, the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased) of the estate, title and interest of the above named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $9,819.31, and $7.00 for costs of execution, &c., and also interest on $9,819 32 at six per centum per annum from the 1st day of May, 1893, until payment; also James Reid v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $1,663.95, and $7.00 for costs of execution, &c., and also interest on $1 663.95 at six per centum per annum from the 2nd day of May, 1893, until payment; also, Cowan & Wilson v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $3,912 67, and $7.00 for costs and execution, &c., and also interest on $3,912.67 at six per centum per annum from the 2nd day of May, 1893, until payment; also the Bank of British North America v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $18,825.15, and $7.00 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on $18,825.15 at six per centum per annum from the 1st day of May, 1893, until payment; besides Sheriff's poundage, fees and other expense of the executions above-named I have seized and will sell at public auction in front of my office, Court House, Bastion street, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, the estate, title and interest in the lands above-named of the said Joseph Heywood, deceased, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the said judgments and expenses of sale. Terms of sale, cash.

District	No. of Lot.	Concise description of property.	Estate or Interest.	When to be Sold	Where to be Sold.
Victoria City.	Lot No. 315	According Official Map.	Fee simple. No incumbrance.	Tuesday, June 20th, 1893.	At the Sheriff's Office, Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria.
	Lot No. 21 Sec. X., Spring Ridge, Victoria District.	Fairfield Farm Estate Registered as a Homestead (No. 48) in name of Joe Heywood.	Fee Simple. Lease dated Ap'l 12, 1860. Registered on 17th July, 1873. Fee simple.		
	Part of Section IV., Victoria District.	4 acres, or thereabouts, Victoria District, except Lots 1, 5, 6, 15, 16, 17, 20 and 21, according to Map No. 162.	Mortgage in fee to secure payment of $9,000 to Henry S. Mason.		

Judgments herein were registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, against the said lands the 1st day of March, 1893, and the 20th day of May, 1893.

J. E. McMILLAN,
Sheriff.

LAND REGISTRY OFFICE, VICTORIA,
31st day of May, 1893, 3 o'clock p.m.

I hereby certify as follows:—

1. That excepting judgments (if any) no charge appears registered or applied for against Lot No. 315, Victoria City, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood.

2. That excepting judgments (if any) and the charge hereinafter mentioned, no charge appears registered or applied for against Lot No. 21, Fairfield Farm Estate, Victoria City, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood, subject to a certain lease, dated 12th April, 1860, and registered in charge book, vol. 2, fol 765, No. 493B.

3. That excepting judgments (if any) no charge appears registered or applied for against Section X., Spring Ridge, Victoria District (now City), the title to which is registered as a Homestead (No. 48) in the name of Joe Heywood.

4. That excepting judgments (if any) the following is the only charge registered or applied for against part (4 acres, or thereabouts) of Section IV., Victoria District (now City), except Lots 1, 5, 6, 15, 16, 17, 20 and 21, according to Map No. 162, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood, viz.:—

18th March, 1892.—Joe Heywood to Henry S. Mason, mortgage in fee to secure payment of the sum of $9,000 on 18th March, 1893, and interest at 10 per cent. per annum Registered on 27th April, 1892, in charge book, vol. 10, fol. 322, No. 12,152B. An assignment of the above mortgage to the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, is registered in charge book, vol. 11, fol. 31, No. 12,659B.

5. That no judgments appear registered against the real estate of Joe Heywood.

6. That the following judgment appears registered against all the real estate of Joseph Heywood and of Eliza Ann Heywood, Administratrix of his estate, viz:—

Judgment of Supreme Court of British Columbia, obtained the 20th day of February, 1893, by James Holroyd against Joseph Heywood and Eliza Ann Heywood, Administratrix of his estate, for $3,628 90, debt, and $32.60 costs. Registered 1st March, 1893, in charge book, vol. 11 fol. 727, No. 11374B.

7. That the following judgments appear registered against all the real estate of Joseph Heywood, viz:—

Judgment of Supreme Court of British Columbia obtained 1st May, 1893, by James Reid against Eliza Ann Heywood as Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $1,629.50, debt, and $34.45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No. 32.

Judgment of said Supreme Court obtained the 2nd May, 1893, by Cowan & Wilson against Eliza Ann Heywood, as administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $3,878.22 debt, and $34.45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No. 33.

Judgment of said Supreme Court obtained 1st May, 1893, by the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, against Eliza Ann Heywood, as administratrix, with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $9,781 86 debt and $34.45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No. 34.

Judgment of said Supreme Court obtained 1st May, 1893, by the Bank of British North America against Eliza Ann Heywood, as administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $18,790.70 debt, and $34.45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No. 35.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
PER S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy.

To J. E. McMillan, Esq.,
Sheriff.

The above sale is postponed till the 27th day of June next, at the same hour and place.
J. E. McMILLAN,
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It sometimes happens that a strongly marked outline of a speech will give the reader quite as good an idea of its scope and significance as a full and carefully written report. In the outline the reader sees all its salient points without his attention being distracted by details which are of little consequence, even when they are not altogether irrelevant.

It strikes us very forcibly that the reader who has seen the sketch of Mr. Laurier's speech at the Ottawa convention, telegraphed by our correspondent, knows as much about the new Liberal policy as those who heard the speech from the first sentence to the last. He learns from that sketch that Mr. Laurier's ideal fiscal policy is free trade. He also learns that he despairs of reaching his ideal—that he is obliged to admit that free trade for Canada is at present an impossibility. So the Liberal leader is under the necessity of paring down his free trade policy until his tariff becomes a tariff for revenue. What this means neither he nor anyone else can tell. "A tariff for revenue" is one of those convenient phrases which sound nice and liberal, but which are so charmingly indefinite that they may signify just as much or as little as the speaker finds it convenient to admit. It can be said with much truth that the present tariff of the United States is a tariff for revenue, although it is, like the one which Mr. Laurier proposes to devise, not for revenue alone. A customs tariff, if it includes a considerable number of commodities, is of necessity protective—incidentally protective if you choose, but still protective. So on the trade question the new Liberal policy is not by any means clear or definite.

Prohibition is becoming a burning question in the country, but the Liberal leader is not prepared to tell the people what action he proposes to take on that very important subject. He knows his own mind with respect to it, but he does not deem it expedient to take the people of Canada into his confidence just now. He proposes to wait until the report of the commission is brought down—or until he sees more clearly in what direction the cat is going to jump. Is this satisfactory to the prohibitionists? They are, as a class, exceedingly outspoken, and their experience has taught them to distrust politicians who get on the fence and show a disposition to remain perched upon it as long as it is safe to do so. Then with regard to the Manitoba School Question, Mr. Laurier takes a non-committal stand. The matter is before the Courts and he is not the man to pronounce upon a question, even though it is a political one, which is *sub judice*. One would suppose that a Quebec politician would have a word to say on the right of each province to settle the question for itself. But when the school question is the topic of discussion Mr. Laurier finds it expedient to be silent on the very important subject of provincial rights. He must wait until a more convenient season arrives before he says what he thinks about the school question.

This, then, is the attitude of the leader of the Dominion Liberals on the leading questions of the day. On the trade question he is indefinite. He cannot do what he would but he will do what he can. But what that will be neither he nor any one else can tell. On the Prohibition question he declines to commit himself and his party, and on the Manitoba school question the exigencies of party require him to be non-committal. Of course Mr. Laurier said this very large amount of nothing in the most charming manner possible. His eloquence delighted his hearers, but we are greatly mistaken if the country or even the Liberal party will be satisfied with the very meagre bill of fare he sets before them.

SEALING IN THE SOUTH.

The London Times of the 2nd inst., contains an account of the expedition sent out to the Antarctic Ocean from Dundee in September last. The object of the expedition was to search for whales described by Sir James Ross as "greatly resembling, and by some said to be identical with, the Greenland whale." It consisted of four ships, the Balæna, the Diana, the Active, and the Polar Star.

After a short stay at the Falkland Islands the vessels sailed for the South Polar Sea. They did not find the whales they went in search of but they found seals in such abundance that at least one of the ships was loaded with their skins and blubber. The seal, however, was not the fur seal. The writer of the account, who styles himself "a member of the expedition," says that there are still fur seals in the waters near the Falkland Islands, but their numbers are greatly diminished. The seals which were killed were much further south, and were found on the ice. The seals were of several species; "the large seal, the white Antarctic seal, and sea leopard." "All hands and the cook" on board the vessel were busily employed in killing the seals when the weather permitted. The narrator says:

The seals are very foolish beasts. The present generation have never seen a man, and they survey him open-mouthed and fearful, during which process they are laid low with club or bullet. Sometimes they are so lazy with sleep that a man may dig them in the ribs with the muzzle of his gun, and, wondering what is disturbing their slumbers, they raise their head, which quickly falls pierced with a bullet. There may be only one seal on a piece of ice, which is usually the case with the larger kind; but the smaller kinds lie in half-dozens and tens, and as many as forty-seven were seen on one piece. Seldom do any escape—one cartridge means one seal. Besides the three seals mentioned, we came across a fourth, a large kind, with small head, small fore-flippers, very thickly blubbered, and a more woolly skin.

These seals were found in latitude 64° 13′ S., and long. 55°52′ W. The seal hunting was done in January and February. The sea was smooth, being sheltered by the land, and, altogether, the seal hunters had not, by any means, a bad time of it. They saw numbers of whales, but not of the kind they were in search of, although they sailed over that part of the ocean in which Sir James Ross said he saw "great numbers of the largest sized black whales lying upon the water in all directions; their enormous breadth quite astonished us." It appears that search for the fur seal in the Southern hemisphere would be quite as unsuccessful as search for Greenland whales. The seals that are to be found there are, it appears, well worth the killing. From the tone of the narrative it may be gathered that the crews of the Dundee ships were well satisfied with the result of the voyage; and if it would pay the Scotch whalers to hunt seals in the Antarctic Ocean, would not British Columbia sealers find the business equally profitable?

UGANDA OCCUPIED.

The Uganda question has for a time, at any rate, settled itself. Sir Gerald Portal, the British Commissioner, arrived there in time to take possession as soon as the British East Africa Company surrendered its authority and evacuated the country. There was, therefore, no interregnum in which the contending factions which have disturbed the country could make mischief. Sir Gerald Portal took the management of affairs into his own hands at once and promptly did what he considered necessary to secure the peace and good government of the country.

It is, no doubt, fortunate that he had everything his own way. Central Africa is too far from Downing street and communication is too difficult to permit of officials who know nothing about the state of the country or the kind of men with whom he has to deal, hampering him with well-intentioned but impracticable instructions. He is in a position in which the one-man power is a necessity, and he is evidently not at all backward in doing what he believes to be right. There were a number of Soundanese soldiers in the country with their families. These men had given Emin Pasha trouble, and they would no doubt have been found a disturbing element under British occupation. Sir G. Portal soon disposed of them, and made them useful by enlisting them all in the service of the Government. The whole Soudanese colony, with women and slaves, when visited by Captain Lugard, numbered eight thousand. The Soudanese soldiers, with the armed men who crossed the country with the Commissioner, will be quite sufficient to maintain the peace and to assert the supremacy of Great Britain Sir Gerald Portal has with him Major Owen and Captain MacDonald, capable men, who will carry out his instructions faithfully and fearlessly. So Uganda will not be a source of anxiety to the British Government for some time to come.

It was absolutely necessary to maintain British prestige in Central Africa. If Uganda had been abandoned, as the Liberals demanded, some time ago, British authority would be undermined over a very large area of the continent of Africa, and the labors, missionary and other, and the expenditure of years would have been lost—most likely irretrievably. That the British have not fallen in the estimation of the native races of Central Africa, and have not incurred the contempt of the Arabs, who exercise a great and by no means wholesome influence in that part of the world, is no doubt owing to the firmness and the courage of Lord Rosebery. A large number of Liberals, the chief of whom is Mr. Labouchere, were loud in their demand for the abandonment of Uganda and other parts of Africa. Mr. Gladstone seemed disposed to succumb to their influence, but Lord Rosebery saw that such a policy would be suicidal and he opposed it vigorously. He was master of the situation. The Liberal party could not do without him, so he had his own way. In course of time a railroad will be constructed between the coast and Lake Nyanza, and Uganda will be as securely a part of the British Empire as is Cape Colony.

THE BORDEN CASE.

The Borden case is one of the most singular that was ever before a court of justice. It presents, under the most unlikely circumstances, an apparently impenetrable mystery. A most atrocious murder was committed in a dwelling house, in a busy city in the open day, without any apparent attempt at secrecy, and yet no one is able to tell who the murderer is. After a long and a searching trial, in which skilled counsel, on the part of the commonwealth, did all that they could to find out who committed the horrible crime, still it is to-day as much a mystery as it was the day after it was committed. The officers of justice have taken eight months to investigate the crime, yet they have not been able to discover evidence enough to fasten even a well-grounded suspicion upon any one. Those who have read the evidence must see that the jury could do nothing but acquit Miss Borden. Further than that she was in or near the house when the murders were committed, there was nothing to lead any rational person to believe that she committed the crime.

The fact that there was no one else except the servant girl and Miss Borden known to be near the scene of the murder was a strong presumption that one of the two must have been the murderess, but inquiry showed that there was no evidence to support this presumption. Yet there are people so unreasonable as to hold that, in spite of the absence of incriminating testimony, Lizzie Borden must have killed her father and her stepmother. This amounts to making what may have been the woman's misfortune a proof of her guilt. For it is a great misfortune for an innocent person to be in a position when a crime is committed that suspicion will naturally first fall upon him. There have been cases in which persons so situated have found it impossible to prove to the satisfaction of a jury that they had taken no part in the commission of the crime—that they were as free from any participation in it as the judge on the bench. There is really nothing in the evidence given at the trial that conflicts with the theory that Lizzie Borden was a person in this unfortunate position. Acts of hers which were at first regarded as suspicious are perfectly consistent with her complete innocence.

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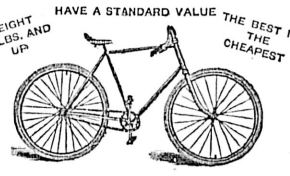

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THE Cedar Hill school examinations and picnic will be held to-morrow.

THE picnic of the Victoria West public school teachers and schools was held at the Gorge yesterday, and proved as thoroughly delightful as anticipated.

WHISKEY cases occupied the attention of the city police magistrate yesterday morning and will again to-day. "Russian Mary" is once more in the toils for "supplying."

CHARLES MURRISET, who recently assumed the proprietorship of the Colonist hotel, Beacon Hill park, has already commenced the work of improvement. He proposed to run the house on first-class lines.

THE strange "dog-snake-parrot fish" recently caught in the North and landed at Vancouver, is now being exhibited at 115 Government street. The specimen is extremely interesting to students of natural history, as it is claimed to be the only masticating fish ever caught.

THIS morning, at 11 o'clock, the new memorial chancel of St. Mark's church, erected in remembrance of Rt. Rev. Bishop Hills' long and successful administration of the affairs of the diocese, will be formally consecrated by his successor, Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin. A reception to the new bishop will be held in the evening.

AN APPLICATION is to be made to-day in the case of De Cosmos v. the Victoria & Esquimalt Telephone Company to continue the injunction restraining the company from placing their poles in position on the streets near Hon. Amor De Cosmos' property. The ground for making the application is that the City Council has been delayed in coming to a decision in the matter.

A PARTY of treasury officials, including Special Agents Cullom, of Washington, and Wood, Special Inspector Lewis, and District Attorney Brinker, are here for the purpose of holding an informal examination of the smuggling methods practiced by the steamer Haytian Republic. The officers have a large number of certificates upon which Chinese were allowed to land at Portland. Attorney W. H. Gorham accompanies the party to legally represent the vessel.

"THE BLACK FLAG," the play which has evoked more widespread comment with the general public than almost any of the English comedy dramas of modern production, and the piece to be presented by Mr. Richard E. Frenche's stock company for their first appearance in this city to-night, is a work in which the dramatist has so cleverly interwoven the most sensitive touches of sublime pathos with the effervescence of unrestrained and joyful comedy that the auditor sheds tears of sympathy and is convulsed with laughter in the same breath, while in the next instant one grows indignant at the rascally conduct of a villain, or applauds with enthusiasm the courageous act of the hero. Through all its many phases the softening influence of delightful music renders the performance so utterly charming as to infuse an audience with a desire to see, not only once, but many times again, a play which has such undeniable power to please. A large audience is expected at the Victoria to-night as the sale of seats is unusually large, and the general sentiment throughout the city is in favor of the house stock company.

THE twentieth annual communication of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of British Columbia will begin to-day. Delegates will be here from all of the seventeen subordinate lodges in the province and it is expected there will be about fifty or sixty visitors. The chief business to be transacted is the receiving of annual reports from the retiring officers, the election of new officers for the current year, consideration of applications for charters from lodges which have been working under dispensations, and finally on Saturday afternoon the laying of the corner stone of the new Protestant Orphan's Home on Hillside avenue. To-day at 3 o'clock the members of the Grand Lodge will attend divine service at the First Presbyterian church, when Rev. E. D. McLaren, grand chaplain will deliver the annual sermon. On Friday evening the members of the local lodges will entertain their visiting brethren at a banquet to be held at the Mount Baker hotel, Oak Bay. The work of the Masonic order in the province during the past year has been greater than for any previous year in the history of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia. There are now over one thousand members while the Grand Lodge receipts for the twelve months just closed have been in the neighborhood of $2000, showing that the order is in a most prosperous condition.

MANAGER JAMIESON has completed arrangements for the first of the series of Sunday evening sacred concerts, to take place at the Victoria theatre next Sunday evening, at which will be presented a programme of unusual excellence. He has been fortunate in securing for the opening an artist of such well-known ability as Mme. Zippora Monteith-Fischel, the celebrated soprano, upon whose singing such favorable comments have been made during the last three years by papers of the standing of the London Morning Post, London Times, the Queen, the Athenæum, the Academy, the Musical Times, and many others. A great many Victorians had the pleasure of hearing her at a concert given here some months ago, and the unanimous opinion expressed then was that she is far and away ahead of nine-tenths of the travelling sopranos who have been heard in this city. Miss Monteith will be ably assisted by Miss Agnes Dawson, the celebrated solo pianist; Mr. F. Victor Austin, the well-known violinist, whose wonderful playing some have heard, and an orchestra of eleven string and reed instruments under the leadership of Prof. Pferdner. Mme. Fischel's numbers on Sunday evening will be "Ave Maria," Bach-Gounod, with violin obligato by Mr. Austin; "The Lost Chord," Sullivan, and "O Rest in the Lord," Mendelssohn. Miss Dawson's piano solos will be Chopin's Prelude and "Der Erl Konig," Schubert Liszt. Mr. Austin will play "Souvenir de Haydn," Leonard, and Violin Concerto, E Minor, Mendelssohn-Amdante Allegreto Ma Non Troppo—Allegro Vivace. The concert will commence at 8:30, after all the churches are out, and will close about 10 o'clock, and as the price of admission is nominal, being fifty cents and twenty-five cents in the gallery, a packed house is assured.

COLUMBIA lodge I.O.O.F. will pay a fraternal visit to Dominion lodge of the same order at their hall on Douglas street, this evening.

ABOUT the only business transacted at the meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. yesterday afternoon was in the discussion on the preparations for the tenth annual convention of the Pacific Northwest Associations to be held here during the last week of August. At the convention will be representative delegates from Washington, Oregon, Idaho and British Columbia.

A SPACIOUS room in the Old Folks' Home on Collinson street, was well filled last evening, when an entertainment was given under the management of Pride of the West lodge, No. 37, C.O.O.F., M.U. A short but interesting programme was rendered, and the event was made a pleasurable one to all present. It is the intention of the C.O.O.F., M.U., to hold similar entertainments at the same place every month.

WILLIAM STEADMAN, a deck hand on the steamer Maude, gives currency to the report that two Indians were recently found dead on the Euculet trail with marks upon their bodies showing that they had been shot. He was told the story by the Indians, who said that the men were seen the night before the finding of their bodies with considerable money in their possession, the inference being that the murder was for the purpose of robbery.

THE matter of De Cosmos v. The Victoria and Esquimalt Telephone Company, will be heard before the City Council on Tuesday next. This is a final peremptory appointment at which the aldermen are determined to hear the end of this business. Already four appointments have been made and two whole afternoons have been wasted without any more information being given than the Council already had. The lawyers have been doing all the talking, and naturally enough the Board of Aldermen being an active and not a passive body, wants to get its oar in too.

ALL the school trustees were present at last evening's special meeting, the Chairman, Mr. Charles Hayward, presiding. A number of letters were read from various parties offering cheaper property than that heretofore put forward for the new ward schools, and these offers were tabled, to be considered when the purchase is being made. The plans for the new school buildings were then opened. There were sixteen competitive designs in all, and after they had been opened the Board went into committee to consider them with closed doors, but no decision was come to.

ABOUT as cheeky a piece of business as has been reported for a long time was perpetrated on Sunday evening last, when someone with little regard for the laws of meum and tuum broke into Mr. Austin's stable on Rae street and took out his handsome stallion, Bryan O'Lynn, for a gallop around the city. The horse was returned very much the worse for the hard riding, the saddle being cut and injured also. On inquiries being made it was reported that the horse had been seen down near Oak Bay, but in the darkness it was impossible to say who was riding. If the culprit can be located he will be vigorously prosecuted.

FREQUENT COMPLAINTS are made of the slow and irregular way in which letters and newspapers are delivered by the Post Office, but it will have to be admitted that the following, given by the St. John, N. B., Telegraph is an instance of unusual delay: "The Telegraph from time to time receives Ontario and other Western Canadian newspapers, apparently direct from the offices of publication, from two to four weeks after the date of publication. The other day a copy of the BRITISH COLONIST newspaper, published in Victoria, B. C., and bearing date 6th August, 1885, nearly eight years past, came to hand in this way. This is quite unaccountable to those not versed in the intricacies of the mail service. The frequency with which numbers of regular and valuable exchanges are missed, coupled with like frequency in receiving newspapers at this office addressed to other city newspaper offices or private persons, leads to the conclusion that greater care is necessary than is exercised in handling the mails."

HON. J. H. TURNER, Minister of Finance and Agriculture for the Province, met an old friend when he was at the World's Fair in Chicago. It was the powerful English railway locomotive known as "the Lord of the Isles," which was in its time the fastest locomotive ever built. It was exhibited brand new at the first great exhibition, the opening of the Crystal Palace in England, in 1851, and since that time has been constantly on the tracks, making its sixty miles an hour. Mr. Turner, who was present at the Crystal Palace exhibition, saw this powerful locomotive then, and when he went into the Machinery Hall at Chicago it was one of the first things he noticed. The driving wheel is eight feet in diameter, and this, with the general build of the engine, gives it a most peculiar appearance, more especially in contrast with the Canadian built modern engine at the head of the C.P.R. exhibition train. The "Lord of the Isles" is in first-class repair and is still able on the old guage tracks to keep its record.

THE annual examination of the students of Corrig College commences this morning and will, according to the time-table, conclude on Friday, June 30. The syllabus shows that the various studies are, as usual, grouped and dealt with on the plan of the "Cambridge University Schools Examination Board." In group I, English, the special subjects include portions of Shakespeare and Milton, with analysis from Browning; the special periods of history being Saxon and Norman times, B C. 449—A.D. 1154, and Canadian history from French Settlement to English Conquest, 1534-1759. In group II, Mathematics, the four ordinary branches (mental and written) arithmetic, algebra and euclid seem very fully dealt with. In group III, Classics, Cæsar and Virgil figure as the prose and poetical authors; while groups 4, 5 and 6, Modern Languages, Sciences and Art, as usual, have plenty of work set. The examiners for this year are Right Rev. Bishop Perrin, D.D.; Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, M.A.; Principal J. W. Church, M.A., and Mr. H. Goward, M.A., LL.B.

TO-DAY'S examination exercises are at the Spring Ridge Ward and Boys' Central schools.

LEON W. WASHBURN'S railroad shows and two ring circus is billed for two days in Victoria, July 4 and 5.

Two cases are set down for trial next Wednesday. They are Croft v. Bourchier, Hamlin *et al.* and Croft v. Bourchier, Hamlin & Co.

A COURT OF REVISION for the City of Victoria meets on Tuesday next, to hear complaints against assessments. There are sixty complaints in all, but as some of them include a large number of properties, the session will probably be a heavy one, lasting a number of days.

THE Indians living near the scene of the Michigan wreck evidently made a good thing out of other people's misfortunes, as a gentleman who was lately in the vicinity of Nitinat Lake says the siwashes have their houses fitted up quite grandly with fine carpets and furniture stolen from the wreck. He also found the Indians in possession of quantities of cigars and cigarettes, besides barrels of whiskey, obtained from the same source.

THE case of John Gilmore v. H. W. Ternan was to have been tried yesterday by a judge without a jury, but did not come on, an order having been obtained that the amount endorsed on the writ should be paid into court within two weeks, otherwise judgment to be entered for the plaintiff. The trial was postponed accordingly. Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken for plaintiff; Messrs. Eberts & Taylor for defendant.

A LARGE number of invitations have been issued by the committee of management of the Protestant Orphan's Home for the laying of the corner stone of the new building on Saturday afternoon next with Masonic honors. A platform has been erected for the accommodation of ladies and from all indications the ceremony will be largely attended. A collection will be taken up in aid of the fitting and furnishing of the Home and the excellent band from C battery will furnish music at intervals during the afternoon.

A GENTLEMAN recently from London, Eng., and himself a mining broker, states that the Silver King deal was completed on the following basis: The mine was floated for £300,000, of which amount the present owners secured £200,000 in paid up stock. The remaining £100,000 is to be subscribed in cash, and of this £70,000 had been subscribed when the COLONIST's informant left London. The original owners are to receive back from this the amount so far expended, the balance being utilized in the development of the property.

IN CONNECTION with the ceremony of laying the corner stone of the new Protestant Orphans' Home on Saturday afternoon, there will be singing by the united choirs of the city Protestant churches, under the leadership of Mr. J. G. Brown. A practice meeting of members of all choirs will be held on Friday evening at the school room of the First Presbyterian church on Pandora avenue, when all arrangements as to seating, position, and so on, will be made. It is requested that as many of the various choir members as can make it convenient will be present and assist.

THE entertainment given in the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening for the benefit of Instructor St. Clair, in recognition of his services to the society's gymnasium, was well attended. The programme rendered was as follows: Piano solo, Mr. Burnett; glee, quartette party; song, Lieutenant Munro; recitation, Instructor St. Clair; glee, quartette party; cornet solo, Mr. Thompson (C Battery); club swinging, Misses Walker, King and Murray; song, Miss Duffy; song, Mr. Booth; song, Corporal Twiss; selection, Glee club. One of the principal features of the programme was the club swinging by three young ladies (Mr. St. Clair's pupils), whose clever actions drew the admiration of the audience. The Glee club, which is composed of six members of the Arion club, also contributed largely to the evening's enjoyment, their last vocal selection, entitled the "Three Chaffers," being especially worthy of notice.

A MEETING of the committee to which the tenders for construction of surface drains were referred, was held yesterday at the City Engineer's office, when the various tenders were examined and the awards made. The brick drains will be built by F. Adams, at a cost of $28,574 55, and the surface drains by Harrison & Walkley, for $3,586 75. Work is to commence as soon as the contracts are signed. The main work is on View street, from Cook to Johnson, an 18-inch vitrified pipe, and from View to Southgate street, a 3 2x4 9 brick pipe, with a tributary drain from Vancouver to Cook, 2 6x3 9 brick, and a drain on View, between Quadra and Vancouver, 20-inch brick. The lowest tender for the work was more than $11 000 below the highest, the latter being $39,893 95, which was greatly in excess of the engineer's estimate. The smaller contract is for a drain through the school reserve and along View to Cook, 9x12 vitrified pipe; from North Pandora, Comosen street, South Pandora street, through Mr. Dooley's property to Johnson street, thence along Johnson street to Cook. This latter work, when completed, will enable the present obnoxious open drain through the Central school grounds to be closed up, and will remove the nuisance of which the School Trustees have been complaining so long. The work at present contracted for will drain the large basin in the neighborhood mentioned into the Cook street sewer with an outlet at Clover Point, which will be sufficient for some years, as the Cook street outlet was built to accommodate the sewerage from a population of from 80,000 to 100,000 people. Tenders for other surface drain work, to be carried on with the balance of the money now in hand out of the $150,000 loan, will be called for within the next ten days or two weeks, as soon as plans and specifications can be got ready by the city engineer.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

James Bay Athletic Club's Field Day Draws a Large and Representative List of Entries.

How the Programme Will Be Taken Up—Corrig College Cricketers Win from C Battery.

At a special and protracted meeting of the James Bay Athletic Association's Field Day committee last evening, arrangements were perfected for Saturday's athletic carnival at the Driving Park, which, the programme being a long one, will be entered upon at 2 o'clock sharp. A first class band will be in attendance all day, the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Dewdney as well as the officers of the flagship will honor with their presence, and the occasion will no doubt prove as fashionable as interesting. The tramway authorities promise a fast and frequent service, and so the general public will be well provided for in the way of transportation to and from the grounds. It has been decided to take up the programme in the order in which it is printed below; it will be noticed that the entries are more numerous and more representative than those for any previous athletic gathering in the history of British Columbia sport.

One Hundred Yards Flat (club)—H C Macaulay, C W Ward, W E Fisher, C M Page, W Scott, J Fraser, S F Morley, C Fletcher, R W Clarke, F A Gowen, H B Haines, C E Bailey, and W H Wilkerson.

High Jump (open)—J Fraser, (James Bay A A), S F Morley (J B A A), W F Blight (Victoria Lacrosse club), F R Atkins (Seattle Athletic club), E Sharpe (Seattle Athletic club) and F A Gowen (J B A A)

One Hundred Yards Flat (Open)—W E Fisher (JBAA), James Sharpe (Victoria Canoe club), W Traill (Victoria Canoe club), J Fraser (J BAA), J Murray (Victoria Lacrosse club), S F Morley (JBAA), W F Blight (VLC), A Aspin (Seattle A C), C Blain (VLC), F A Gowen (JB AA), H Fleming (VCC), and J T Bradea (Victoria Athletic club).

One Mile Bicycle, Handicap—H E Potter (Seattle A C), scratch; R J Ackland (JBAA), 225; A Deeming (Northfield AAA), 225; A B Calbon (Vancouver Bicycle club), 225; J Deeming (Northfield AAA), 275; E W Bradley (Wanderers' Cycling club), 275; Ernest Wolffe (WCC), 275; L A Clarke (Seattle A), 275; F R Atkins (Seattle A C), 275; L W Hall (WCC), 325; Roderick N Begg (WCC), 325; and John R Kerr (WCC), 325.

One Hundred and Twenty Yards, Hurdle (club)—C W Ward, W E Fisher, W Ditcham, J Fraser, S F Morley, C Fletcher, C M Page, F A Gowen, W H Wilkerson, G E Gorjenson, and H B Haines.

Long Jump (open)—H O Akroyd (Brockton Point A C), J Fraser (J B A A), W F Blight (V L C), S F Morley (J B A A), F R Atkins (Seattle A C), F A Gowen (J B A A), and E Sharpe (Seattle A C).

One Mile (open)—H O Akroyd (B C A A), H Dolby (detached), A Field (Corrig College), C Cartwright (Corrig), J Fraser (J B A A), J A Bland (V L C), W F Blight (V L C), E C Hill (Seattle A C), J J Hillier (Burrard Inlet R C), F A Gowen (J B A A), D Sinclair (Star Lacrosse Club), H B Haines (J B A A), and C E McDonnell (Multnomah A C, Portland).

One Mile (club)—J Aden, F A Gowen, J Fraser, H B Haines, W Scott and F Widdowson.

Two hundred and fifty yards, for boys under 16 (handicap)—C P Higgins and G Wilson (scratch), F Prevost (2), J Rithet (8), J Peters (8), R Rome (16), C Berkeley (16), H Wilson (20), S M Johnson (21), F Mitton (21), H Wilmot (23) and R Powell (25).

Quarter mile (club)—W E Fisher, H C Macaulay, W Scott, C W Ward, F Widdowson, J Fraser, F A Gowen and H B Haines.

One mile walk (open)—T L Graham (J B A A), J Davidson (detached), J Sharpe (V C C), W McNish (detached), W Ditcham (J B A A), J Fraser (J B A A), W F Blight (V L C), J J Hillier (B I R C), F A Gowen (J B A A), and A Deeming (N A A A).

Quarter Mile (open)—H O Akroyd (B P A A), W E Fisher (J B A A), W Traill (V C C), J Fraser (J B A A), J Murray (V L C), S F Morley (J B A A), W F Blight (V L C), A Aspin (Seattle A C), E C Hill (Seattle A C), C Blain (V L C), F A Gowen (J B A A), D Sinclair (Star L C), and H Fleming (V C C).

Five Mile Bicycle (handicap)—H E Potter (Seattle A C), scratch; R J Ackland (J B A A), 1,125; A Deeming (N A A A), 1,125; A B Calbon (V B C), 1,125; E W Bradley (W C C), 1,375; Ernest Wolff (W C C), 1,375; J Deeming (N A A A), 1,375; L A Clarke (Seattle A C), 1,375; F R Atkins (Seattle A C), 1,375; L W Hall (W C C), 1,625; and F Hall (W C C), 1,625.

Putting Sixteen-pound Shot (Open)—John Davidson (detached), H C Macauley (J B A A), T H Paterson (United Banks C C), W Traill (VCC), W Ditcham (JBAA) J Fraser (JBAA), S F Morley (JBAA), W F Blight (VLC), W H Pegram (JBAA), George Aspin (Seattle AC), and F A Gowen (JBAA), W E Fisher (JBAA).

One Mile Steeplechase (Open)—H O Akroyd (BPAA), W Traill (VCC), C M Page (JBAA), C Cartwright (Corrig), J Fraser (JBAA), S F Morley (JBAA) W F Blight (VLC), J J Hillier (BIRC), G E Gorgenson (JBAA), and F A Gowen (JBAA).

Half-Mile Handicap (Club)—W E Fisher and S F Morley (scratch), W Scott (10), F A Gowen (10), H B Haines (10), F Widdowson (12), W H Wilkerson (20) C M Page (30), and J Fraser (30).

Sack Race (Club)—W E Fisher, C M Page, W Dicham, J Fraser, C Fletcher and F A Gowen.

Blindfold Race (Club)—C E Bailey, F A Gowen, J Fraser, C Fletcher and W E Fisher.

CRICKET.

CORRIG DEFEATS THE BATTERY.

Yesterday, at the Barracks, Corrig College defeated the Battery, after an intensely exciting match, by six runs. The Battery went in first but, owing to the excellent bowling of Goward and Wilson, were all dismissed for 26. The College just managed to win the first innings by six runs, making 32, of which R Wilson contributed a well-played 11, not out. The Battery did much better in their second innings, and made 54, Major Peters being responsible for 17 The College, with three quarters of an hour to play and 50 runs to get, then went in again. Cartwright played good cricket for 11. The other wickets fell fast, but Goward and J Peters were equal to the occasion and played out time, leaving the College victorious by six runs on the first innings.

CHOIR V. CLUB.

The following eleven of the Christ Church Cathedral Choir Cricket club will to-day give battle to the second team of the Victoria C. C: Rev. J. B. Hewetson (Capt.), W. H. Pegram, H. J. Martin, J Kingham, A. Goward, A. S Aspland, R. H. Johnston, S. P. Johnston, W. Williams, R. C. Fawcett and C. Berkeley. K. Wollaston, substitute.

HERE AND THERE.

The handsome prizes to be competed for at the Driving Park Saturday, are on exhibition at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s music store.

The James Bay Juniors and the Stars will play a game of lacrosse on July 8, at Beacon Hill.

QUEENSLAND FRUIT.

Oranges Found to be Excellent, but the Pine apples Altogether Out of Condition.

OTTAWA, June 21.—(Special.)—The Queensland frut sent to the Department of Agriculture was opened to-day. The oranges were in very good shape, but the pineapples were no good, having evidently been shipped in too ripe a condition.

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MONTREAL MATTERS.

The Spanish Caravels Start up the Lachine Canal for Chicago—Dominion Bankers' Association.

MONTREAL, June 21.—(Special.)—The Spanish caravels Santa Maria, Pinta and Nina left this afternoon at four o'clock, in tow of several tugs, en route for Chicago. The caravels were given a hearty send off by a number of people. Commander Concas and officers were highly delighted with their stay in Montreal

E. S Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, has declined to accept the presidency of the Dominion Bankers' Association, to which he was elected.

Four students, Edward Kelly, J. N. Cloutier, Edouard Rivard and Camille Magnan were drowned at Joliette, Que., to-day, by the upsetting of their boat while they were enjoying a pleasure trip.

THE MADRID EXPLOSION.

Partial Confession of a Wounded Accomplice of the Dead Bomb Thrower.

MADRID, June 21. — The wounded accamplice of the dead bomb-thrower has made a partial confession under pressure from the police. The man, whose name is Suarez, admitted that the dead man was an Anarchist named Ruiz, and that he carried, at the time of the explosion, a bottle containing gunpowder and shot. Five more Anarchists have been arrested in this city and 17 in Barcelona, for participating in the bomb throwing. The Government has appointed special magistrate to investigate the bomb outrage. It appears that Ruiz was seen daily prowling around the Cortes while the Republicans were carrying out their recent policy of obstruction in that body.

Charge Against Italian Government.

ROME, June 21. — In the Chamber of Deputies, to-day, Signor Colejanni accused the Government of forcing the Banca Nacionale to loan 50,000,000 lire in behalf of the suspended Banca Tiberina, to help a personage who would otherwise have lost 1,000,000 lire. Signor Giolitti, the prime minister, denies the charge.

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AUCTION SALES

Yesterday Mr. H. Cuthbert, of H. Cuthbert & Co., sold out the Furniture of the Rev. H. Kingham, at his residence, near Beacon Hill Park.

Mr. Cuthbert will dispose of the remainder of the Cargo from the Steamer Michigan, at 11 o'clock TO-DAY, at the Market.

At 1:30 he will sell the surplus Stock of the Victoria Transfer Co., also at the Market.

On Monday next, Mr. Cuthbert will hold an Auction at 102 Pandora avenue, of the Furnishings, Horse and Buggy, etc.

And on the following Thursday an Auction of Furniture at the Sale Rooms.

On the 30th he will finish a week's work by a Sale of Furniture near Beacon Hill Park.

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"It will be more than seeming then," said she.

"You are a very young maid," said I, "and I am but a very young callant. This is a great piece of difficulty. What way are we to manage, unless indeed you could pass to be my sister?"

"And what for no?" said she, "if you would let me!"

"I wish you were so indeed!" I cried. "I would be a fine man if I had such a sister. But the rub here is that you are Catriona Drummond."

"And now I will be Katrine Balfour," she said. "And who is to ken? They are all strange folk here."

"If you think that it would do," says I. "I own it troubles me. I would like it very ill if I advised you at all wrong."

"David, I have no friend here but you," she said.

"The mere truth is I am too young to be your friend," said I. "I am too young to advise you or you to be advised. I see not what else we are to do, and yet I ought to warn you."

"I will have no choice left," said she. "My father, James More, has not used me very well, and it is not the first time. I am cast upon your hands like a sack of barley meal and have nothing else to think of but your pleasure. If you will have me, good and well. If you will not"—she turned and touched her hand upon my arm—"David, I am afraid," said she.

"No, but I ought to warn you," I began and then bethought me that I was the bearer of the purse, and it would never do to seem too churlish. "Catriona," said I, "don't misunderstand me. "I am just trying to do my duty by you, girl. Here I am going alone to this strange city to be a solitary student there, and here is this chance arisen that you might dwell with me a bit and be like my sister. You can surely understand this much, my dear, that I would just love to have you?"

"Well, and here I am," said she. "So that's soon settled."

I knew I was in duty bounden to have spoke more plain. I knew this was a great blot on my character, for which I was lucky that I did not pay more dear. But I minded how easy her delicacy had been startled with a word of kissing her in Barbara's letter. Now that she depended on me, how was I to be more bold? Besides, the truth is, I could see no other feasible method to dispose of her. And I dare say inclination pulled me very strong.

A little beyond The Hague she fell very lame and made the rest of the distance heavily enough. Twice she must rest by the wayside, which she did with pretty apologies, calling herself a shame to the highlands and the race she came of and nothing but a hindrance to myself. It was her excuse, she said, that she was not much used with walking shod. I would have had her strip off her shoes and stockings and go barefoot. But she pointed out to me that the women of that country, even in the landward roads, appeared to be all shod.

"I must not be disgracing my brother," said she and was very merry with it all, although her face told tales of her.

There is a garden in that city we were bound to, sanded below with clean sand, the trees meeting overhead—some of them trimmed, some pleached, and the whole place beautified with alleys and arbors. Here I left Catriona, and went forward by myself to find my correspondent. Then I drew on my credit and asked to be recommended to some decent, retired lodging.

My baggage not being yet arrived I told him I supposed I should require his caution with the people of the house, and explained that my sister being come for awhile to keep house for me I should be wanting two chambers. This was all very well, but the trouble was that Mr. Balfour in his letter of recommendation had condescended on a great deal of particulars and never a word of any sister in the case. I could see my Dutchman was extremely suspicious, and viewing me over the rims of a great pair of spectacles—he was a poor, frail body and reminded me of an infirm rabbit—he began to question me close.

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Here I fell in a panic. Suppose he accept my tale (thinks I); suppose he invite my sister to his house, and that I bring her. I shall have a fine raveled pirn to unwound and may end by disgracing both the lassie and myself. Thereupon I began hastily to expound to him my sister's character. She was of a bashful disposition, it appeared, and so extremely fearful of meeting strangers that I had left her at that moment sitting in a public place alone. And then being launched upon the stream of falsehood I must do like all the rest of the world in the same circumstance and plunge in deeper than was any service, adding some altogether needless particulars of Miss Balfour's ill health and retirement during childhood, in the midst of which I awoke to a sense of my behavior and was turned to one blush.

The old gentleman was not so much deceived but what he discovered a willingness to be quit of me, but he was, first of all, a man of business, and knowing that my money was good enough, however it might be with my conduct, he was so far obliging as to send his son to be my guide and caution in the matter of a lodging. This implied my presenting of the young man to Catriona. The poor, pretty child was much recovered with resting, looked and behaved to perfection and took my arm and gave me the name of brother more easily than I could answer her, but there was one misfortune. Thinking to help, she was rather towardly than otherwise to my Dutchman.

And I could not but reflect that Miss Balfour had rather suddenly outgrown her bashfulness. And there was another thing—the difference of our speech. I had the low country tongue and dwelled upon my words. She had a hill voice, spoke with something of an English accent, only far more delightful, and was scarce quite fit to be called a deacon in the craft of talking English grammar, so that for a brother and sister we made a most uneven pair. But the young Hollander was a heavy dog, without so much spirit in his belly as to remark her prettiness, for which I scorned him. And as soon as he had found a cover to our heads he left us alone, which was the greater service of the two.

CHAPTER XXIII.

FULL STORY OF A COPY OF HEINECCIUS.

The place found was in the upper part of a house backed on a canal. We had two rooms, the second entering from the first; each had a chimney built out into the floor in the Dutch manner, and being alongside each had the same prospect from the window of the top of a tree below us in a little court, of a piece of the canal and of houses in the Holland architecture, and a church spire upon the farther side. From a tavern hard by we had good meals sent in.

The first thing in the morning I wrote word to Sprott to have Catriona's mails sent on, together with a line to Alan at his chief's, and the same dispatched and her breakfast ready ere I waked her. I was a little abashed when she came forth in her one habit and the mud of the way upon her stockings. By what inquires I had made it seemed a good few days must pass before her mails could come to hand in Leyden, and it was plainly needful she must have a shift of things.

She was unwilling at first that I should go to that expense, but I reminded her she was now a rich man's sister and must appear suitably in the part, and we had not got to the second merchant's before she was entirely charmed into the spirit of the thing and her eyes shining. It pleased me to see her so innocent and thorough in this pleasure. What was more extraordinary was the passion into which I fell on it myself.

The Dutch chintzes I should say were extraordinary cheap and fine, but I would be ashamed to set down that I paid for stockings to her. Altogether I spent so great a sum that I was ashamed, and by way of a setoff I left our chambers pretty bare. If we had beds, if Catriona was a little braw, and I had a light to see her by, we were richly enough lodged for me.

By the end of this I was glad to go for a long walk alone in which to read myself a lecture. Here had I taken under my roof a young lass extremely beautiful, and whose innocence was her peril. And now, after the strong admiration I had just experienced and the immoderacy with which I had continued my vain purchases, I began to think of it as very hazarded. I bethought me if I had a sister, indeed, whether I would so expose her; whether I would so trust Catriona in the hands of any other lad God had made; the answer to which made my face to burn. The more cause since I had been entrapped, and had entrapped the girl into an undue situation, that I should behave in it with scrupulous nicety.

She depended on me wholly for her bread and shelter. In case I should alarm her delicacy she had no retreat. Besides I was her host and her protector, and the more irregularly I had fallen in these positions the less excuse for me if I should profit by the same to forward even the most honest suit, for with the opportunities that I enjoyed, and which no wise parent would have suffered for a moment, even the most honest suit would be unfair. I saw I must be extremely holdoff in my relations, and yet not too much so neither, for if I had no right to appear at all in the character of a suitor I must yet appear continually and if possible agreeably in that of host.

It was plain there was no way out of that position save by behaving right while I was in it. I made a set of rules for my guidance, prayed for strength to be enabled to observe them, and as a more human aid to the same end purchased a study book in law. This being all that I could think of, I relaxed from these grave considerations, whereupon my mind bubbled at once into an effervescency of pleasing spirits, and it was like one treading on air that I turned homeward. As I thought that name of home and recalled the image of that figure awaiting me between four walls my heart beat upon my bosom.

My troubles began with my return. She ran to greet me with an obvious and affecting pleasure. She was clad, besides, entirely in the new clothes that I had bought for her—looked in them beyond expression well—and must walk about and drop me courtesies to display them and be admired. I am sure I did it with an ill grace, for I thought to have choked upon the words.

"Well," she said, "if you will not be caring for my pretty clothes, see what I have done with our two chambers." And she showed me the place all very finely swept and the fires glowing in the two chimneys.

I was glad of a chance to seem a little more severe than I quite felt. "Catriona," said I, "I am very much displeased with you, and you must never again lay a hand upon my room. One of us two must have the rule while we are here together. It is most fit it should be I, who am both the man and the elder, and I give you that for my command."

She dropped me one of her courtesies, which were extraordinary taking. "If you will be cross," said she, "I must be making pretty manners at you, Davie. I will be very obedient, as I should be when every stitch upon all there is of me belongs to you. But you will not be very cross either, because now I have not any one else."

This struck me hard, and I made haste in a kind of penitence to blot out all the good effect of my last speech. In this direction progress was more easy. At the sight of her in the brightness of the fire and with her pretty becks and looks my heart was altogether melted. We made our meal with infinite mirth and tenderness, and our very laughter sounded like a kindness.

In the midst of the meal I awoke to better recollections, made a lame word of excuse and set myself boorishly to my studies. It was a circumstantial, instructive book that I had bought, by the late Dr. Heineccius, in which I was to do a great deal of reading these next days, and often very glad that I had no one to question me of what I read. Methought she bit her lip at me a little, and that cut me. Indeed it left her wholly solitary, the more as she was very little of a reader and had never a book. But what was I to do?

So the rest of the evening flowed by almost without speech.

I could have beat myself. I could not lie in bed that night for rage and repentance. What must she think of me? was my one thought that softened me continually into weakness. What is to become of us? the other, which steeled me again to resolution. This was my first night of wakefulness and divided counsels, of which I was to pass many.

In her presence, and, above all, if I allowed any beginning of familiarity, I found I had very little command of what should follow. But to sit all day in the same room with her and feign to be engaged upon Heineccius surpassed my strength. So that I fell instead upon the expedient of absenting myself so much as I was able, taking out classes and sitting there regularly, often with small attention, the test of which I found the other day in a notebook of that period, where I had left off to follow an edifying lecture and actually scribbled in my book some very ill verses, though the Latinity is rather better than I thought I could ever have encompassed.

The evil of this course was near unhappily as great as its advantage. I had the less time of trial, but I believe while that time lasted I was tried the more extremely, for, she being so much left to solitude, she came to greet my return with an increasing fervor that came nigh to overmaster me. These friendly offers I must barbarously cast back, and my rejection sometimes wounded her so cruelly that I must unbend and seek to make it up to her in kindness. So that our time passed in ups and downs, tiffs and disappointments, upon the which I could almost say that I was crucified.

The base of my trouble was Catriona's extraordinary innocency, at which I was not so much surprised as filled with pity and admiration. She seemed to have no thought of our position, no sense of my struggles, welcomed any mark of my weakness with responsive joy, and when I was drove again to my retrenchments did not always dissemble her chagrin. There were times when I have thought myself, "If she were over head in love and set her cap to catch me, she would scarce behave much otherwise," and when I would fall again into wonder at the simplicity of woman, from whom I felt (in these moments) that I was not worthy to be descended.

There was one point in particular on which our warfare turned, and of all things this was the question of her clothes. My baggage had soon followed me from Rotterdam and hers from Helvoet. She had now, as it were, two wardrobes, and it grew to be understood between us (I never could tell how) that when she was friendly she would wear my clothes, and when otherwise her own. I have seen her go out of the room in a petulancy when I would be at Heineccius and return with a whole change of dress, even the clocked stockings discarded, and for aught I know she may have shifted to the skin. It was meant for a buffet, and (as it were) the renunciation of her gratitude, and I felt it so in my bosom, but was generally more wise than to appear to have observed the circumstance.

Once, indeed, I was betrayed into a childishness greater than her own. It fell in this way. On my return from classes, thinking upon her devoutly with a great deal of love and a great deal of annoyance in the bargain, the annoyance began to fade away out of my mind, and spying in a window one of those forced flowers, of which the Hollanders are so skilled in the artifice, I gave way to an impulse and bought it for Catriona. I do not know the name of that flower, but it was of the pink color, and I thought she would admire the same and carried it home to her with a wonderful soft heart. I had left her in my clothes, and when I returned to find her all changed and a face to match I cast but the one look at her from head to foot, ground my teeth together, flung the window open and my flower into the court, and then—between rage and prudence—betook myself out of that room again, of which I slammed the door as I went out.

On the steep stair I came near falling, and this brought me to myself, so that I began at once to see the folly of my conduct. I went, not into the street, as I purposed, but to the house court, which was always a solitary place, and where I saw my flower (that had cost me vastly more than it was worth) hanging in the leafless tree. I stood by the side of the canal and looked upon the ice. Country people went by on their skates, and I envied them. I could see no way out of the pickle I was in; no way so much as to return to the room I had just left. No doubt was in my mind but I had now betrayed the secret of my feelings, and to make things worse I had shown at the same time (and that with wretched boyishness) incivility to my helpless guest.

I suppose she must have seen me from the open window. It did not seem to me that I had stood there very long before I heard the crunching of footsteps on the frozen snow, and turning somewhat angrily (for I was in no spirit to be interrupted) saw Catriona drawing near. She was all changed again, to the clocked stockings.

"Are we not to have our walk today?" said she.

I was looking at her in a maze. "Where is your brooch?" says I.

She carried her hand to her bosom and colored high. "I will have forgotten it," said she. "I will run up stairs for it quick, and then surely we'll can have our walk?"

There was a note of pleading in that last that staggered me. I had neither words nor voice to utter them. I could do no more than nod by way of answer, and the moment she left me climbed into the tree and recovered my flower, which on her return I offered her.

"I bought it for you, Catriona," said I She fixed it in the midst of her bosom with the brooch, I could have thought, tenderly.

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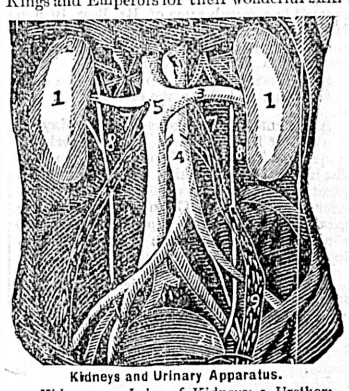

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Kamloops.....Monday.....2nd October.
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CITY OF VICTORIA.

Court of Revision.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment of 1893 as made by the Assessor of the City of Victoria, will be held at the Council Chambers, City Hall, Victoria, on TUESDAY, the 27th day of JUNE, A.D. 1893, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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LAST DAYS OF SCHOOL.

Interesting Closing Exercises Attract Large Gatherings at the James Bay and Central Schools.

Good Work of the Past Term—The Bishop and Others Deliver Addresses.

Yesterday saw the closing for the summer holidays of two more of the public schools, the James Bay ward school, of which Miss J. M. Bradley is in charge, and the Girls' Central, Miss Armstrong principal. The morning was devoted to the closing exercises of the former, and the teachers of Miss Armstrong's staff were present to participate in the ceremonies; Miss Bradley and her assistants returned the compliment in the afternoon.

At the Bay school there was no formal programme—a departure from the usual order. Inspector Wilson and Col. Wolfenden, ex-trustee, made short addresses, and the former presented the prizes and read the lists. Variety was lent to the proceedings in the form of one or two musical numbers, which created an agreeable break in the programme. It is, however, in the work accomplished that Miss Bradley may well feel pride; out of a large class of twenty sent from the Ward school to write the examination for entrance to the Central not one was unsuccessful, and the percentages obtained in all subjects showed that they had been thoroughly taught and industriously learned.

The large hall in the Central shool, the scene of the afternoon's exercises, was filled to overflowing half an hour before those exercises commenced. There were all the pupils of the Girls' school in white dresses and many-colored ribbons—392 were in regular attendance last month, according to the reports—all the brothers and sisters and mothers of this army of little girls, clergymen, officials of the Education Department, and teachers from other schools—but not one representative of the Trustee Board. Before the programme was entered upon the visitors employed themselves in examining specimens of the scholars' work in map drawing and outline sketching on the blackboards, and in admiring the very artistic floral decorations of the hall.

A little before 2 o'clock Inspector Wilson rapped for order, and the programme, in which all eight divisions took part, was commenced. Then the promotions were announced, the prizes presented, and the proceedings of the day terminated with addresses and music. Short speeches were the rule, nor was it deviated from by any one of the speakers—Right Rev. Bishop Perrin, Venerable Archdeacon Scriven, Rev. George W. Taylor and Inspector Wilson. The school has for the term past fully maintained the high standard of its work, while the attendance has been greater than ever before.

JAMES BAY WARD SCHOOL.

Miss J. M. Bradley, Principal.

PROMOTIONS.

Erom First Division to Central School—Alice Maude Anderson, William Leonard Stamford, Donald Campbell Mackay, John Ross, Agnes Alex. Clark, Lucy Clark, Ethel Bowness, Garnet Wolseley Duncan, Gladys Maude Cameron, Edith Amelia Cridge Chantrell, Frank William Wise, Ina Mabel Redfern, Frances Cecilia Finlaison, Grace Jane King, Vivian Medana, Alice Maude Redfern, Nancy Irene Robertson, Elizabeth Cullin, Adele Wolfe and Anthony Farquhar Finlayson.

From Second Reader to Third Reader—Edith Howitt Bamford, Samuel Wilson Lorimer, Harriet Jane Sabiston, Florence Telfer Jackson, Ethel Lydia Winkel, Bessie Lulu Proctor Davis, Mark Brayshaw, Bertha Louise Cooley, Maude Marguerite Shears, Robert Harry Browne, Herbert Jeffree Pendray, Alfred Charles Monk, Frances Jane Fraser, Nellie Bahr and Lois Jacqumel Buchman.

Rolls of Honor—Alice Maude Anderson (proficiency), Bertha Louise Cooley (deportment), and Donald Campbell Mackay (punctuality and regularity).

Prizes—Alice Maude Anderson (head of the school—85 per cent.) William Leonard Stamford (second in proficiency—84 per cent.), John Ross (composition—85 per cent.), Agnes Alex. Clark (grammar—94 per cent.), Lucy Clark (writing and map drawing—90 per cent.), Gladys Maude Cameron (spelling—100 per cent.), Frances Cecilia Finlaison (spelling—98 per cent.) Frank William Wise (geography—97 per cent.), Garnet Wolseley Duncan (geography—95 per cent.) and Ethel Bowness (deportment). Edith Howitt Bamford (head of second class), Herbert Jeffree Pendray (deportment), and Samuel W. Lorimer (second in deportment). The prizes were kindly presented by Mrs. Simon, Mr. C. E. Redfern, Mr. and Mrs. T. Bamford, Mrs. Johnston, Mr. Robertson, Mrs. Chantrell and a friend.

Miss Annie Carmichael, Teacher.

First Class to Second Class First Division—Maggie Lowe, Kate Redfern, Alice Bahr, John Woolcock, Violet Emery, Nellie Spencer, Willie Woolcock, Victor Wolfenden, Maud Lawry, Lillie Shears, Bessie Heaney, Alexander Roberts, Orwell Wihmer, Janet Adams, Achille Medana, May James, Annie Tait, Geo. Simpson and Robert Dunn.

From Second Primer to Second Reader—Gordon Jameson, Walter Laing, Abbie Louise Cameron, Isabel Dunn, Kenneth Morrison, Guy Temple, Alice Taylor, Claude Foot, John Tait, Sadie Wolfe, Dorothy Atkinson, Zoe Buchnam, Ethel Butler, Rex Flewin and James Hogg.

Roll of Honor—Walter Laing (deportment), Violet Emery (regularity and punctuality).

Prizes—Achille Medana (writing), Kate Redfern (general improvement), and Maggie Lowe (proficiency). Second class—Dorothy Atkinson (deportment and regularity), Gordon Jameson (proficiency).

Miss C. C. Christie, Teacher.

From Third Division to Second Division—Willie Mulcahy, Catharine Bartlett, William Ross, Jessie Fairfield and Andrew Mulcahy (equal), Thomas Gawley, Helen Maud Emery, Nellie Jackson, Wm. Gawley and Irene Lockhart (equal), Wm. Fraser, Annie Lowe, Langdon James, Rosie Prescott, Robert Tait, Philip Murriset, Jack Simpson and Hendrika Roskamp.

From Second Class to First Class—Chrissy Murray, Willie Chantrell, Ada Stewart and Tom Peden (equal), Wm. Perrin Robert Jamieson, Edward Cridge, Lillie Jackson, James Stewart, Pearl Davis, Stanley Dunlevy, Gordon Bennett, Annie Lorimer, Birdie Brooker and Herman Roskamp (equal), Kelman Topping and James Sabaston.

From Third Class to Second Class—Ada Spencer, Rachael Sheppard, Dora Bruce, Alfred Redfern, Muriel Morry, Frank Burns, Ida Foot, Charlie Alder, Harold Lockhart, George Fox, Maggie Sinclair, James Temple, Harold Cooper, George Atkinson, Willie Danby, Fred Cullin, Archie King, and James Stewart.

Rolls of Honor—William Mulcahy (proficiency), Pearl Davis (deportment), and Helen Maude Emery (regularity and punctuality).

Prizes—William Mulcahy (proficiency—100 per cent.), Katie Bartlett (writing—100 per cent.), Jessie Fairfield (reading—100 per cent.). Second class—Christina Murray (proficiency—100 per cent.). Third class—Ada Spencer (proficiency—94 per cent.), Harry Cooper (smallest pupil in school). Prizes kindly presented by Mr. C. E. Redfern and a friend.

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Miss Armstrong, Principal.

PROGRAMME.

Son—"The Cunning Frog"..................5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Divisions
Recitation—"The Cobbler's Secret"..........5th and 6th Divisions
Song—"Sleep Baby, Sleep"..............5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Divisions
Recitation—"The Squirrel's Arithmetic"..........7th Division
Song—"Cherries Ripe"..............5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Divisions
Song—"The Mill"..........7th and 8th Divisions
Recitation—"The Old House Clock"..........5th and 6th Divisions
Song—"The Midshipmite"..............5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Divisions
Recitation—"Mrs. Rabbit's School"..........Mabel Lyon (8th Division)
Song—"London Bridge"..............5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Divisions
Song—"Farmer's Boy"....7th and 8th Divisions
Song—"Little Soldier's Song"..............5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Divisions

First, Second, Third and Fourth Divisions.

Song—"After."
Recitation—"The Express Train."
Song—"The Hop Pickers."
Song—"The Sailor's Story."
Recitation—"The Poet's Calendar."
Song—"I'm a Merry, Laughing Girl."
Song—"The Boatswain's Story."
Song—"Somewhere."
God Save the Queen.

PROMOTIONS.

From First Division to High School—Grace Edna Shirk, Mary McGraw, Rose Tillie Jackson, Alice Doran, Mary Louisa Van Horst, Belle Netherby, Bibianne Moore, Bessie Ellen Morrison, Rosa Tranter, Florence Germaine Jackson, Mary Cathcart and Margaret Murray.

Rolls of Honor—Grace Edna Shirk, (general proficiency), Sarah Hannah Eckersley (deportment) and Mary Cathcart (regularity and punctuality).

Prizes—Bessie Morrison (mental arithmetic—100 per cent), Rose Jackson (written arithmetic), Eva Shrapnel (composition), Mary McGraw (geography), Belle Netherby (dictation and spelling), and Mary Louisa Van Horst (regularity).

Mrs. Caldwell Teacher.

From Second Division to First Division—Pearl Flemming, Dorothy Allison, May Winnett, Clara Winnett, Winnie Nisbet, Jane Moore, Ada Gladding, Clara Chapman and Annie Wriglesworth (equal), Gertrude Collis, Mabel Knott, Sara Sherriff, Annie Clarke, Ethel Holloway, Clara Janes, Mabel Keisler, Margaret Lowe, Mary Hiscocks, Constance Blake, Elsie Shrapnel, Ethel Scholefield, Harriett Williams, Janet James, and Ida Braden (equal), Katherine Finlaison, Harriet McKay and Brenda McKells.

Rolls of Honor—Emma Gertrude Collis (deportment), Harriet McKay (punctuality and regularity), and Pearl Winnifred Flemming (proficiency).

Prize—Dorothy Allison (second in proficiency, presented by T. N. Hibben & Co.)

Miss Williams, Teacher.

From Third Division to Second Division—Christina McDonald, Mary McCrimmon, Flora Baker, Annie Fraser, Millie Newby, Nellie Graham, Roberta Devlin, Annie Kinsey, Annie McQuarrie, Mabel Sabiston, Fannie White, Annie Holmes, Sara Bridgeford, Gertrude Arthur, Bernice Pope, Rose Maynard, Nettie Vigelius, Frances Routledge, Clementina King, Katie Lettice, Bertha Hall and Isabella Hood (equal), Josephine Scott, Marina Colquhoun, Laura Milne, Margaret Clay, Daisy Stoddart and Alice Townsey.

Rolls of Honor—Christina McDonald (proficiency), Pauline Mansell (regularity and punctuality), and Clemy King (deportment).

Prize—Gertie Arthur (for writing).

Miss Keast, Teacher.

From Fourth Division to Third Division—Ethel Coles, Anny Beam, Evelyn McFar-Violet Hardie, Olive Chambers, Victoria Penketh, Margaret Johnston (equal), Isabel Cartnel, Margaret Gleason and Edith Parr (equal), Mary Brown, Alice Allen, Eliz Milne, Katie Hookway, Mabel Cousins and Gill C. Pope (equal), Jane Taylor, Rose Hall, Nellie Young, Ida Goddard, Winifred Cullum and Helen McKittrick (equal), Grace Dudgeon, Eliza Hiscocks and Edith Jenkins (equal), Clara VanHorst, Jennie Colquhoun and Marion Smith (equal), Mary Robinson and Laura Jones.

Rolls of Honor—Ethel Coles (proficiency), Grace Dudgeon (regularity and punctuality), and Elizabeth Thomson (deportment)

Prizes—Amy Beam (Mrs. Pope's special for second in general proficiency), Viva Babington (for general proficiency in second division).

Miss Arrowsmith, Teacher.

From Fifth Division to Fourth Division—Mary McFarlane, Sabina Fielding, Edith Noble, Isabel Fletcher, Agnes Davis, Eleanor Porter, Louisa Sims, Eleanor Loat, Laura Simpson, Amelia Burt, Amy Carter, Ina Beam, Louisa Tugwell, Nora Wilson, Margery Wollaston, Amelia Scott, Grace Elford, Grace Atkinson, Peruana Petit, Mildred Hatch, Violet Robinson, Margaret Creeden, Katherine McNeil, Helen Lovell, Flora Gowen, Laura Glover, and Annie Sellick.

Rolls of Honor—Gertrude McFarlane (proficiency), Nora Wilson (regularity and punctuality), Ella Loat (deportment).

Prizes—Gertrude McFarlane (proficiency), and Amy Carter (writing).

Miss Robinson, Teacher.

From Sixth Division to Fifth Division—Annie Sparrow, Laura Jackson, Maggie Stoke, Rachel Sylvester, Kate Lavender, Rosetta Bray, Agnes Ward, Violet Gerrie, Margaret Moore, Emma Mebius, Alice Carter, Nellie Dening, Amelia Leiser, Lola Beam, Lilian Galer, Florence McNeill, Mary Kolp, Margaret Trickey, Annie Harrison, Alberta Wriglesworth, and Maggie McKenzie.

Rolls of Honor—Annie Sparrow (proficiency), Margaret Ann McKenzie (regularity and punctuality), and Florence McNeill (deportment).

Prizes—Annie Sparrow (mental arithmetic — presented by Mrs. Lavender), Violet Gerrie (improvement), and Lottie Jackson (second in general proficiency).

Miss Russell, Teacher.

From Seventh Division to Sixth Division—Ethel Mills, Sophia Hiscocks, Gladyss Berridge, Gertrude Furnival, Katie McCrimmon, Mary Tait, Lizzie Taylor, Ardelle Lavender, Kate Noble, Gertrude Hickey, Hilda Leiser, Jos. Woollaston, Marie Wolfe, Ruth Stillwell, Bessie Rolfe, Sara Philo, Lottie Garvin, Nellie Sherburn, Flora Tait and Sara Irvine (equal), Mary Barker, Kate Bruno, Grace Savage, Bertha Munsie, Lizetta Hosking, Bella Roberts. Mabel Carter and Alberta Walker promoted on the teacher's recommendation.

Rolls of Honor—Ethel Mills (proficiency), Lizetta Hosking (punctuality and regularity), Bessie Rolfe (deportment).

Prizes—Lizzie Taylor (spelling), Ethel Mills (second prize for spelling), and Ardelle Lavender (reading).

Miss Christie, Teacher.

From Eighth Division to Seventh Division—Annie Robinson, Laura Elford, Bertha McDonald, Jessie McKillican, Hilda Munsie, Fannie Babchuck, Eliz McClarty and Sara Ritchie (equal), Phœbe Babchuck, Annie Levy, Elsie Wier, Julia Hilliger, Genevra Gillespie, Laura Hartnel, Dora Woodil, Echo Dudgeon.

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Oatmeal, Brooms, Brushes and all articles required for use in this contract, to be of Provincial manufacture, as far as practicable.

F. S. HUSSEY,
Supt. Prov. Police and Warden of Gaols.
June 5, 1893. je6 td

TENDERS

Sealed Tenders are invited for supplying refreshments at Picnic of "Sons of Erin, to be held at Caledonia Grounds on July 1st.

Tenders to be addressed to Mr. T. Deasy, on or before Monday, 26th inst.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
R. ACKLAND, Secretary.
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TENDERS.

Tenders for the privilege of supplying refreshments at the B.C. Agricultural Association Exhibition, to be held from August 1st to August 12th, will be received by the Secretary up to July 1st. Conditions on application.

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That all tenders for the said Stock must be addressed to me the undersigned, at Nanaimo, and mailed so as to reach me on or before the 24th day of June instant, as I shall after that date open the same.

No tenders will be necessarily accepted.

Dated at Nanaimo this 15th day of June, 1893.

L. BLANK, Assignee.
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10.15 am	28	.....Seattle.....	82	3.00 am
1.30 pm	72	. Port Townsend .	38	11.45 pm
4.30 pm	110	Ar ...†Victoria ... Lv	Ml	8.30 pm

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	Ml			
11.00 pm	28	Lv...*Seattle.....Ar	58	
12.30 am	35	.. Port Madison ..	47	2.10 pm
	45	.....Kingston.....	41	
3 00 am	49	...Port Gamble...	21	11.00 am
4 0 am	73	...Port Ludlow...	13	10.00 am
6.00 am	85	Ar.‖Pt.Townsend Lv	Ml	8.00 am

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TIME TABLE No. 18,

To take effect at 8,00 a m. on Monday, May 1st, 1893. Trains run on Pacific. Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND (Read Down.) No. 2 Passeng'r Daily	NORTH BOUND No. 4 Pass Fri. Sat. Sun.	Mls. f'm Vic	STATIONS.	Mls. f'm Wel	SOUTH BOUND (Read Up) No. 1 Passeng'r Daily	SOUTH BOUND No. 3 Pass Fri. Sat. Sun.
A.M.	P.M.				P.M.	P.M.
De. 8.00	De. 3.04		Victoria	78	Ar. 12.24	Ar. 8.00
" 8.04	" 3.08	1	Russell's	77	" 12.20	" 7.56
" 8.14	" 3.16	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.10	" 7.48
" 8.39	" 3.36	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.45	" 7.26
" 9.14	" 4.05	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.10	" 6.59
" 9.31	" 4.27	23	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50	" 6.37
" 9.44	" 4.37	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" 6.27
" 9.57	" 4.49	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.27	" 6.15
" 10.07	" 4.59	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.17	" 6.05
" 10.12	" 5.04	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.12	" 6.00
" 10.22	" 5.12	43	Somenos	35	" 10.02	" 5.52
" 10.48	" 5.32	52	Chemainus	26	" 9.36	" 5.32
" 11.09	" 5.49	59	Oyster Bay siding	19	" 9.15	" 5.15
Ar. 11.50	" 6.22	73	Nanaimo	5	De. 8.34	" 4.42
De. 11.59					Ar. 8.25	
Ar. 12.14	Ar. 6.34	78	Wellington		De. 8.10	De. 4.30
P.M.	P.M.				A.M.	P.M.

On Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter, good for return not later than Sunday.

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NOTICE.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company will be held on Wednesday, the 12th day of July, 1893, at 11 a.m., at the office of the Company, 40 Government street, Victoria.

Dated 14th June, 1893.

HENRY S. MASON, Secretary.
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R.M.S. Empress of China

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" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Valdez Island, every alternate Thursday, 7 a.m. (returning same day.)
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or state rooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Station, Store street. fe4

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 20

Takes effect June 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, May 28th, 1893.

BYRON N. WHITE COMPANY

(Foreign.)

Registered the 27th Day of May, 1893.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

THIS is to certify that I have this day registered the "Byron N. White Company" (Foreign), under the Companies Act, Part IV., "Registration of Foreign Companies" and the "Companies Act Amendment Act 18 9"

The objects for which the Company is established, are:—

The acquiring and holding lands by gift purchase or as mortgagee, lessee, or otherwise, and the selling, leasing mortgaging, exchanging and otherwise dealing in or alienating the same; the exploring for locating procuring, holding, buying, leasing, exchanging, selling and operating mines, mineral land and mineral or mining claims; the mining, quarrying and producing ores and minerals of all kinds, including gold, silver, lead, copper, iron and all other metals and minerals; the transporting, marketing, buying, selling and trading in such ores and minerals; the milling, smelting, refining, reducing and working such ores, metals and minerals and all or any of them and the products thereof; the buying, selling, procuring, holding, exchanging and dealing in standing and other timber, and the cutting, transporting, marketing, sawing and manufacture thereof; the owning, construction, erection, operation and improvement of water powers; the improvement of rivers and streams, and the driving, assorting and delivery of logs and timber; the erection, construction and operation of sawmills, electric light and power plants; and to conduct said businesses or any or either of them in the State of Wisconsin, and in any of the States and Territories of the United States, Mexico and British Columbia, and to do all acts and things which shall be necessary or convenient in the conduct of said businesses or any or either of them, including the buying owning, selling, leasing, exchanging and dealing in any and all kinds of property, real or personal, and both.

The amount of the Capital Stock of the said Company is Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, divided into one million shares of Fifty Cents each

The place of business of the said Company is located at Nelson, Province of British Columbia.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 27th day of May, 1893, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.
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THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 1893.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, June 22, 1893.

Sun rises ---4.12 a.m. | Sun sets .....7.52 p.m.

Moon sets 0.52, 23rd.

Day of the year, 173rd,

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, June 21,1893.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.

1 a. m..	45°	Mean 52°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	45°		
9 a. m..	54°	Highest 64°	5 a.m.—Calm.
p. m..	63°		1 p.m.—8 S.E.
5 p. m..	58°	Lowest 44°	9 p.m—Calm.
9 p. m..	54°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Fair.

E. BAYNES REED. Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON. from the Sound—J Mackey, M O Foster, H A Walker, Jno Fervin, P McL Fervin, S Lochery, A Schier, P Perry, G K Burton, F Snyder, Alex Sterret, M K Jones, H D Luff, F C Ward, J W Topley and wife, Blanche Topley, L L Johnson and wife, Miss E Gore, Mrs J Story, Mrs Kelton, Mrs Frank, E P Vinning, Miss Vinning, Miss E Vinning, S C Kirk, G W Howes, J M Ruskin, O Audledorf, Jno Bell, J E Peterson, F G Richards, Father Dumans, C Olsen, C A White, Dr Mohun, Mrs C J Wilkes, McKaufmer, M M Peel, E Martin, O E Price, J L Phillips, Geo Robertson, B Van Volkenburg, F Dairus, E Martin, H Copien, Jno Ramsey, A Bessinger, Geo Talhill, J Hopkirk, Mrs Rouee, W R Mackenzie, Jas Mitchell, A B Huskin.

Per Steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver—A M Fraser, R T Powers, J E McMillan, A W Black, G J Harvey, Mrs Manson, J Nixon, C Miller, Jas S Bell, Mrs Thomas, Rev Dr D McLaren, Miss Reid, R B Kelley, N McKaskill, S N Jaaratt, Bishop Sillitoe, Miss I N Erskine, J H Shirley, Mrs Brown, A E Charlson, W Downie, H A Aclett and wife, A R Tuffts, C Carlyn, Mrs McDonald, M Humber, G L Morrow, A A Shaw, G Robertson, A Henderson, H C Reddley, Capt McGarrow, G E Brown, W J Cline, Thos Bonnie, W A Duncan, Mayor Cope, Mrs Tufts, Mrs Sillitoe, Miss L Dunnington, Dr S Clark, A Robb, D McPhadden, Peter Grant, J F Coffee, F Daniels, J Adams, J Ross, D W Gillis and wife, W O Miller, W Marvin, E Spellman, E Buse, Mrs Snyder, G Thomas, J W Owen, W J G Reid, Jno Garvin, Dr De Wolf Smith, A York, M Wolife, F C Gamble, Miss S V Dunnington, Rev Mr Irwin, Mrs J H Siddal, L R Johnson, J A Howe, Geo D Harper, F J Gage.

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Per Str. CITY OF PUEBLA from San Francisco—Albion Iron Wks, A J Rowbotham, Alice & Ault, Brackman & Ker M Co, Braden & Son, Carne & Munsie, Canada Paint Co, C Bossi, Colonist Ptg & Pub Co, O Strouss, D K Chungranes, D H Ross & Co, E B Marvin & Co, E G Prior & Co, Erskine Wall & Co, F R Robinson, F R Stewart, Fell & Co, Hughes & McIntyre, Harrison & McA, Hip Lung, Hudson Bay Co, H Saunders, J & A Clearihue, John Barnsley & Co, J H Franck, Kwong On Wo, Lung Kee, Langley & Co, Marvin & Tilton, Okell & Morris, P McQuade & Son, P Gable, R Baker & Son, R Maynard, R P Rithet & Co, S Leiser, S M Hamilton, Thos Shotbolt, Turner Beeton & Co, T W Fletcher, Vic Phoenix Brewing Co, Valo & Brooks, Wilson Bros, Weller Bros, Watson & Hall, W Craft, Wells Fargo & Co.

PERSONAL.

Dr. S. Clarke, of Kamloops, is in the city.

Rev. W. Irwin is back from the Mainland.

Rev. E. D. McLaren, of Vancouver is in the city.

John M. Gatter, of Vancouver, is at the Victoria.

J. S. Bell, of Lillooet, is a guest at the Oriental.

Mayor Cope, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Driard.

Fred. A. Mulholland, of Montreal, is at the Victoria.

H. A. Astlett and family, of Vancouver, are at the Driard.

W. H. Ogle and wife, of Toronto. are guests at the Driard.

Hon. John Collins returned to his home in Seattle last evening.

J. E. Peterson, of Richmond, Va., is staying at the Victoria.

W. Charles, of the Land Registry office, Kamloops, is in the city.

Harry Mason and Geo. Leven, of Snohomish, are at the Victoria.

Geo. D. Harper and J. P. Coffie, of Toronto, are at the Victoria.

Sheriff J. E. McMillan returned from the Mainland yesterday evening.

Mrs. Knowles and family, of San Francisco, are staying at the Oriental.

W. Downie, assistant superintendent of the C. P. R., Vancouver, is at the Driard.

F. G. Richards and M. K. Jones returned home by the Sound steamer yesterday.

Ald. Henderson, ex-Ald. Humber and D. McFadden returned from the Mainland last evening.

Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Jones, of Victoria, are expected to arrive in Liverpool from New York to-day.

S. C. Kirk, A. Bissenger, G. H. Robinson, A. Reno and C. C, Mohun, M.D., of San Francisco, are at the Driard.

Rt. Rev. Bishop and Mrs. Sillitoe came over from Westminster last night. They are the guests of Dr. Hanington, with whom they will remain till Saturday.

A. Henderson, W. A. Dewolf Smith, Alex. Charleson, W. A. Driscoll, Robt. B. Kelly, J. B. Johnson, Peter Grant and A. W. Fraser, of New Westminster, are at the Balmoral.

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A FASHIONABLE WEDDING.

Miss Maude Higgins and Mr. Thomas Corsan United in Marriage by Bishop Cridge.

Reception at the Residence of the Bride's Parents—List of the Wedding Gifts.

Under auspices so favorable that it seemed as if there were nothing more to ask for, surrounded by friends and well-wishers innumerable, and with hosts of happy hearts to speed them on the life voyage, Miss Maude Higgins and Mr. Thomas Corsan were yesterday afternoon united in the holy bonds of matrimony.

The ceremony was performed by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge at the Reformed Episcopal church, the little edifice being most tastily decorated with suitable emblems of the joyous event. The bride is the youngest daughter of Hon. D. W. Higgins, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, a young lady very highly thought of indeed in a wide circle of friends. The groom is the youngest son of the late Dr. Corsan of Woodstock, Ont., who, since he has been in Victoria, has made many and fast friends. The bride was attended by Miss Loewen as maid of honor, with Miss Nonie Powell and Miss C. Macnaughton-Jones as bridesmaids, assisted by two pretty children, Miss Agnes Claxton and Miss Jessie Galletly. The honors for the groom were borne by Mr. Allan Cameron, a little nephew of the bride, Master Arnold Raymur, acting as page. The ushers at the church were Messrs. Chas. Loewen, Frank Higgins, George Powell, E. E. Wootton, J. E. Wilson and H. B. Rogers. The church was crowded to the doors some time before the ceremony commenced and when the wedding party arrived the organist, Mr. H. Hookway, greeted them with the Wedding March. The bride was given away by her father, and when the Bishop had pronounced his blessing the choir sang a most appropriate anthem, "Behold how good and pleasant a thing it is for brethren to dwell together in unity." The Wedding March was also played as the party were leaving the church.

The bride was attired in a becoming costume of white brocade, trimmed with lace and orange blossoms. She carried a very pretty shower bouquet, the gift of Mrs. P T. Johnston. The bridesmaids' dresses were of pink crepon, their hats being trimmed with pink roses, while they carried large shower bouquets of white and pink roses, which, with pearl and gold brooches, were presents from the groom. The bride's travelling dress is of fawn colored cloth, with crepe trimming, pink silk bows and gold buckles. The whole trousseau was made by W. A. Murray & Co., of Toronto, and is a most suitable and elaborate one.

After the wedding at the church, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Regents Park, where from four to six o'clock there were very numerous callers to wish Mr. and Mrs. Corsan a long and happy marriage life, amongst them being the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney. When the reception was over a wedding dinner was partaken of, those sitting down being only the relatives of the bride and groom, and those who had assisted at the wedding. Felicitious and happy wishes were again extended and when the newly married couple were escorted to the Islander this morning to start away on the honeymoon trip to Banff, it was with such an avalanche of joyous, hearty congratulations and endearments as will not likely be ever forgotton.

The wedding presents made a most magnificent display and were greatly admired by all those whose good fortune it was to see them. They were apt tokens of esteem, showing with what feelings of friendship both Mr. and Mrs. Corsan were known in Victoria. Amongst the gifts were these:

A—Mrs. J. J. Austin, souvenir spoon; Mr E. G. Anderson, cane arm chair and cane rocking chair; Miss L. Atkinson, fan; Mr. J. A. Aikman, piano lamp; Mr. and Mrs. Aikman, table; Misses Armstrong and Arrowsmith, game carvers; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Alexander, china pitcher; Mr. F. V. Austin, carvers.

B—Mrs. Burns, silver five o'clock teaspoons; Mrs. Berkeley, sugar ladle; Mr. and Mrs. E. Crow Baker, candelabra; Mr. Harry Barnard, silver entree dish; Mr. and Mrs. Bouton, Doulton ware vase; the Misses Barker, silver fern bowls; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Belyea, silver ice cream knife; Mr. Brammer, etching; Mr. F. Bakeman, pie lifter.

C—Mrs. and the Misses Christie, Japanese flower bowl; Bishop and Mrs. Cridge, Bible; Mrs. Clausen, nut crackers; Mrs. Croft, silver picture frame; Mrs. Chesley, Ottawa, drawn work tea cloth; Miss Claxton, silver shoe horn; Miss Corson, Eider down quilt; Mr. Carne, cut glass flower stand with roses; Mr. Cuppage, silver tablet; Mr and Mrs. Connan, silver cheese hoop; Mr. J. W. Church, ebony table; Mrs. Cauldwell, glass salt cellars; Mr. Allan Cameron, cut glass pitcher and tumblers.

D—Drs. Duncan, fruit knives and forks; Mrs. J. Dunsmuir, silver picture frame; Miss Beveroux, silver jewel holder; Mrs. Dunsmuir, salt cellars.

E—The Misses Erb, sterling silver sugar tongs sugar spoon and butter knife; Miss Ella, yellow painted silk doylies; Mr. and Mrs. T. Earle, silver crumb scraper; Mr. and Mrs. Erb, sterling silver fish knife and fork and dozen teaspoons.

F.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Sterling Floyd, cake knife; Mrs. Flumerfelt, white ostrich fan.

G—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. C. Galletly, bamboo tea table; Mr. A. Goward, Japanese bric-a-brac; Miss Gaudin, embroidered table cover; Messrs. Galpin, Kirk and Webber, silver-mounted biscuit jar; Mr. and Mrs. Graveley, pudding dish; Mr. Tom. Gore, carvers; Mr. and Mrs. Gore, teaspoons.

H—Mrs. Hanington, silver hair brush; Mrs. Hibben, bric-a-brac stand and vase; Mr C. W. Higgins, opera glasses; Mr, Mrs. and Miss Hall, silver stand with sugar bowl and cream jug; Dr. and Mrs. Helmcken, silver pudding dish; Mr. J. P. Hibben, etching; Mr. Frank Higgins, Gladstone bag; Hon. D. W. Higgins, check; Hon. J. S. Helmcken, hand-painted china and engraving; Miss Harvey, china tea set; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Higgins, china tea set.

J—Mrs. D. Jones, silver bon-bon basket; Captain Jones, oak and silver biscuit jar; "Aunt Jessie," salt cellars; Miss MacNaughton Jones, silver bon bon holder and tongs; Mrs MacNaughton Jones, pearl and cat's eyes butterfly; Mrs. Johnson, water pitcher.

K.—Miss A. Keast, hand painted silk doylies; Mr. and Mrs. Kent, half dozen gold lined silver spoons; Mr and Mrs. Keith-Wilson, Japanese vases; Colonel and Mrs. Kane, silver salt cellars.

L.—Mr. and Mrs. Laundy, china jar; Miss Loewen, silver flower pot; C. J. Loewen, silver brushes; Miss Lawson, tea cozy; Mrs. Loewen, bamboo inaid table.

M.—Misses McDonald, silver sugar shaker; Mrs. Mouatt, Doulton ware chocolate pot; Mrs. A. Munro, biscuit jar; Mr. and Mrs. Macaulay, Japanese gong; Mr. and Mrs. Monteith, cups and saucers; Mr. W. McEwen, travelling bag; Mrs. A. McBean, white velvet opera cloak; Mr. and Mrs. McMillan, napkin rings; Mr Miles, cut glass flower stand with roses; Mr and Mrs. W. Marvin, after dinner coffee cups; Mrs. Morkill, tea cosey.

N.—Mr. and Mrs. Nuttall, two silver fruit spoons.

P—Capt. and Mrs. Power, sterling silver, complete set; Mr. and Mrs. Prevost, solid silver sugar tongs; Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton, silver fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. F. Pemberton, silver desert spoons; Col. and Mrs. Prior, silver salt cellars; Dr. and Mrs. Powell, engraving; Mr. George Powell, silver bon bon holders.

R—Mr. and Mrs. Rithet, silver tray and tea set; Mr. and Mrs. E Baynes Reed, bronze ornament; Capt. Rooke, large South Sea Island shells; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Raymur, silver tea urn; tea cups, spoons and cloth, Mrs. Raymur; Arnold, Kenneth and David A. Raymur, silver backed comb.

S—Archdeacon and Mrs. Scriven, tea table and East Indian table cloth; Mr. and Mrs. Smith, China flower bowl; Capt. Smallfield, silver dessert set.

T.—Mr. Tarks, salad knife and spoon; Mr. A. Turner, silver ink stand; Miss E. Thomson, vase; Hon. C. H. and Mrs Turner, claret jug; Mr. and Mrs. Murray Thain, vase.

V—Mr. Vowell, silver salt cellars and pepper box; Hon. F. G. Vernon, soup ladle and crumb knife.

W.—Mr. E. E. Wootton, silver cream jug, sugar bowl and stand; Mrs. Wootton, silver fruit spoon; Mr. and Mrs. Worlock, five o'clock silver tea spoons; Mr. J. E. Wilson, silver coffee pot, sugar bowl and cream jug; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ward, dozen silver tea spoons; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, clock and bronze; Mr. and Mrs. R. Ward, egg set; Col. and Mrs. Wolfenden, album.

The grooms' present to the bride was a handsome piano.

VERAGUA'S ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Descendant of Columbus Expresses His Appreciation of the Honors Done Him.

U. S. Secretary of State Gresham's Acknowledgment of the Duke's Letter.

NEW YORK, June 21.—The following correspondence explains itself:

NEW YORK, June 12.

SIR,—In taking leave of the Government, I have the honor to request that Your Excellency will convey to the Congress and the people of the United States the profound and sincere gratitude of my family and myself for the honor that has been conferred upon us, and the hospitality that has been extended to us during our visit to Your Excellency's country. I am not ignorant of the fact that only once before in the history of the United States has Your Excellency's Government so honored a citizen of another nation, and I feel the more grateful because my name in this way will be linked with that of La Fayette. I cannot adequately express my admiration for the grandeur of the press and the hospitality of the United States, and of the intelligence, the enterprise and patriotism of the people, and no words that I can command could describe the majesty of the occasion that commemorates the discovery of America. As that was the greatest triumph of civilization in the fourteenth century, so is the Exposition at Chicago the greatest triumph of civilization in the nineteenth century. To the officers of the Exposition my family and myself tender our heartiest congratulations, and to them, as well as to the officers and citizens of the several places we have visited, we can only offer the greatest praise for the attentions we have everywhere received. I may ask, also, that Your Excellency will express to the President of the U. S. the regret I feel because, on account of conditions over which I have no control, I am denied the privilege of again visiting him and of offering my thanks in person to him and to pay my farewell respects to the chief magistrate of a people who have done so much to honor the descendants of Christopher Columbus.

I have the honor, Mr. Secretary, to be,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) THE DUKE OF VERAGUA.

To the hon Secretary of State of the United States of America.

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 13, 1893.

To His Excellency the Duke of Veragua:

SIR:—Your letter of the 12th inst., expressing your high appreciation of your reception in this country, and tendering to the Congress and the people of the United States your thanks therefor, has been handed to me by Commander Dickens, to whom, upon his return to New York, I entrust this reply. The gratification which the Government and the people of the United States have justly felt at thus being enabled to welcome as the guest of the nation, one whose name and blood to-day represents the great discoverer, to whose perseverance and dauntless faith the discovery of our New World is due, has found its expression in the cordial welcome extended to you, and your visit to her shores will ever remain prominently associated with the Columbian commemoration now in progress. I am glad to believe your coming hither, coupled with the conspicuous part your countrymen have taken in the Chicago Exposition, will have a due share in strengthening the good will and sincere friendship existing between the United States and Spain. Commander Dickens has been ordered to make the necessary arrangements for your voyage back to Spain, which I trust will prove to be agreeable to you. Wishing you a safe return to your own country,

I am, with the highest esteem,

Your obedient servant,

W. A. GRESHAM.

LEFT THE COUNTY JAIL.

Five Prisoners Break from Confinement in Halifax—The Bars Sawn Through.

AMHERST, N. S., June 21.—Five out of eight prisoners confined in the county jail here escaped early this morning by cutting through and removing the half-inch iron bars and forcing down the cross bars. The whole of the bars show marks of several days' work with a fine saw. The escaped prisoners are Roderick McDonald, Patrick Lynch, Charles Havill, and John Lightye, of Halifax, with Robert Ackles, of Northport.

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A. N. TOWNE, Second Vice-President & Gen. Manager.

San Francisco, June 15, 1893. je21-6t

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Whereas the Certificate of Title of the late George Foster Foster to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 3rd day of July, 1867, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, May 27th, 1893. 27-1m

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G. BYRNES.

Victoria, April 4th, 1893. ap4-4m

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